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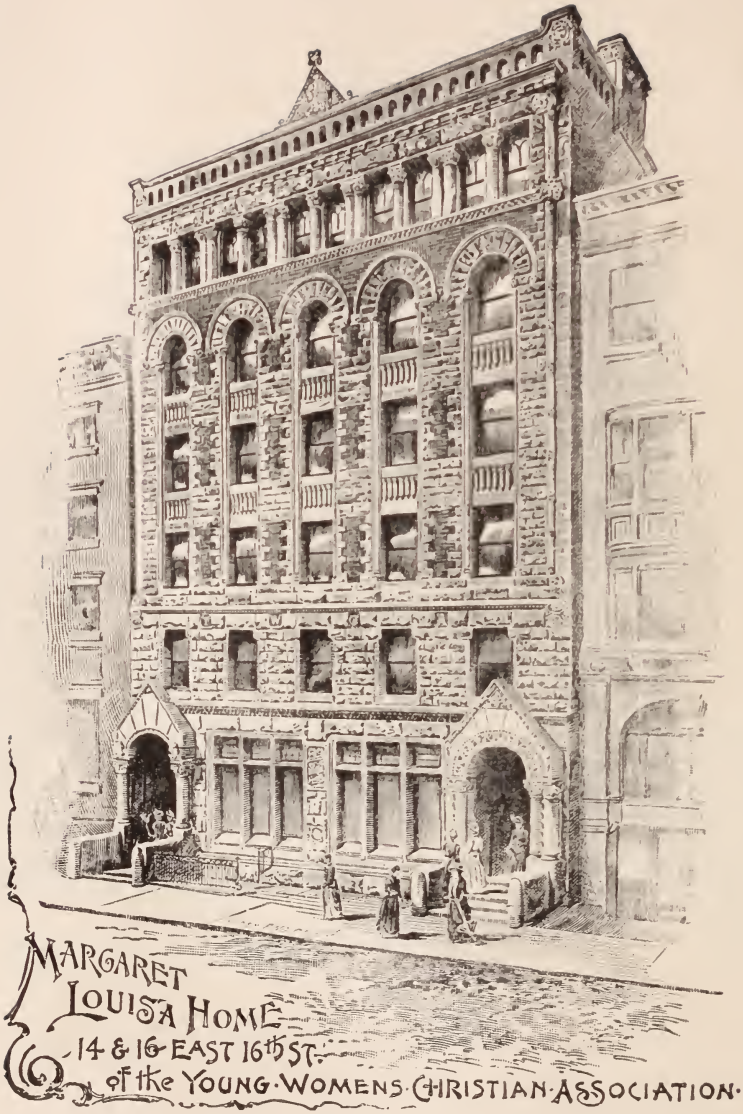
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Last Monday of Every Other Month	Relief, 10.30 A.M.
Second Tuesday	West Side Settlement, 10.30 A.M.
Third Tuesday	Membership, 10.30 A.M.
Second Wednesday	Education and Entertainment, 11 A.M.
Third Wednesday	Margaret Louisa Home, 11 A.M.
Last Wednesday	Needle-work, 11 A.M.
Every Thursday	Executive, 10.30 A.M.
At the call of the Chairman	Auditing, Finance, House, Relief, and all Special Committees.

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1.—Checks should be made payable to the Young Women's Christian Association, and all **Subscriptions and Donations** should be sent to the **Assistant Treasurer, Mrs. Geo. F. Butterworth, 104 E. 30th Street,** accompanied, not by the signatures only, but also by the proper names and addresses for the mailing of receipts.

Dues of Active and Sustaining Members are payable each year during January and February. It would be regarded as a special favor if Members would pay (without solicitation) their yearly dues to the Association during these months. After the first of March notice will be sent to all those who have not found it convenient to pay before.

Any person failing to receive an acknowledgment of money given to the Association will please notify the Assistant Treasurer.

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Assembly Hall.

Report of the Corresponding Secretary Presented to the Association, February 2, 1903

The Young Women's Christian Association presents its thirty-second annual report with abounding gratitude for the opportunities and the achievements of the round of months just closed. "It is the old lesson—a worthy purpose, patient energy for its accomplishment, a resolution undaunted by difficulties and then success." These have been its inspirations and this, therefore, is its glad record for the year —a success, however, born not of its own labors but of the sympathy, the interest, the benevolence, of its friends and of that greatest "Friend" of all without whose aid and blessing there could be only failure.

> "A prayer of gratitude for these;—
> The endless circle is complete."

An essential feature of the great Expositions of the day, national and international, has been the lofty tower, the high commanding position, from which to view the whole and gain a general idea of its scope and arrangement. Could such a plan be followed in the review of the different phases of Association work —could those who would know this work in its entirety mount in imagination to some lofty point, the scene there revealed to the mental eye would amply repay their interest and effort. A study of the many parts scattered here and

there would show their meaning and their use and make clear the beauty and importance of the whole.

In the forefront of all would be seen the Chaplain's Department. This includes the special religious work of the Association, and here is put forth a variety of lines of effort for the supply of the spiritual needs of the soul, the relief of the anxious mind and the care of the suffering body, all of which have been carried on during the year under the guidance of the Chaplain with unabating energy and with results that never can be known.

Chaplain's Department.

Among them all the Bible Class stands pre-eminent. Hundreds of women have attended its regular sessions on Sunday afternoons and Tuesday evenings, attracted by the beauty and power of the services and lessons,—the latter taught on Sundays by Mrs. Knowles, as usual, and on the week-day evenings by a long line of faithful and efficient instructors, including Miss Van Marter, Mrs. Woodruff, Miss Thompson, Mrs. Bainbridge, Miss C. N. Palmer, and Miss A. M. Taylor. Then, too, the special services provided for the observance of the festal days of the year have had their own peculiar charm and beneficial influence for the many women who have thronged the audience room at those times, though of them all Easter, which has always shown itself the best beloved, was again no exception to the rule. The attendance exceeded any ever before recorded, the flowers were rare and beautiful, the singing, including a fine composition by the Association's organist, Miss Judd, was "beyond compare," and the lessons by Mrs. Knowles in the chapel and by Miss Palmer and Miss A. M. Taylor in the crowded over-flow rooms, were exceptionally appropriate and helpful. The Easter book, the seventeenth given to the class by Mrs. Shepard, was "Christ and Life," by Robert E. Speer. A copy of this book was given to every woman present.

As a further effort toward the quickening and deepening of the spiritual life, and also to bring the church to those who are not always willing to go to the church, a series of meetings was held on Tuesday evenings through Lent, conducted by

the following pastors of local churches: Dr. W. R. Huntington, Dr. George Alexander, Dr. George P. Eckman, Dr. George C. Lorimer, Dr. David J. Burrell, and Dr. Henry A. Stimson, in the order named. Also a mid-day service was held in Holy Week, led by Mr. Robert E. Speer on Monday and Wednesday, Rev. Howard L. Jones on Tuesday, and by Rev. Dr. H. A. Johnston on Thursday. There was no service on Good Friday as the building was closed according to custom to enable the officials and members to attend their own church services. All these meetings were largely attended and were an undoubted source of interest and profit. For their success the Association is indebted to the clergymen who so cheerfully devoted their time and thought to these "means of grace," and to whom it desires to express its grateful acknowledgments.

Under this head and in connection with the Summer School, which is a feature of the Chaplain's Department, and which was continued again through the past season with all its wonted provision for the amusement and instruction of the girls who yield to its attractions and seek its benefits in such overwhelming numbers, special mention must be made of the week-evening Bible Class under the charge of Mrs. Mary Leonard Woodruff. The attendance and interest were unabated throughout the entire season.

The work of relief which goes on in this department from January 1st to December 31st is threefold in character,—the Fresh Air, the Traveler's Aid, and the Relief Work, all carried forward by the Chaplain of the Association as chairman of the Relief Committee, together with her associates and assistants. It is a daily work, too great in its detail to be more than touched upon. Thirty-seven women were sent to the Summer Home for two weeks, 644 were given days' outings, 190 women travelers were protected and guided during the year, 1,224 meals were provided for the destitute, 127 delicacies distributed to the sick, and 52 articles of clothing given. Altogether there were 4,911 cases in the Chaplain's office for relief, advice, and counsel in 1902. The mere mention of these cold facts cannot convey to any mind what this has meant to the

needy applicant of substantial help and spiritual uplift, of material cheer and mental tonic.

The department standing next in the line of vision has in charge the membership of the Association—is in fact the recruiting station for its army of workers, rank and file. Whoever they may be and whatever their degree, active, associate, sustaining, life, or honorary, the Committee welcomes all and longs for more. It asserts that while the changing lists show a slow but steady gain, the need for a greater increase is imperative and every member must become a personal recruiting officer to supply the need and secure additions to the working and sustaining forces.

Membership Committee.

To look from a lofty height upon the scene below is, to a great degree, a leveling process. The rolling landscape seems to become a broad and sweeping plain, and objects, however varied, take on a certain similarity of shape and proportion. And yet even from that view-point, there are places of special prominence that attract and fix the roving eye. So in a general view of Association activities. While all are important and essential, there are some that contain within them so many and diverse characteristics that they stand out from the rest with greater distinctness and require a closer detail of description.

Notably is this the case with the Class Department. It includes so much that much must be accorded it. It represents the educational interests of the Association. It takes the ignorant and the helpless, the untrained mind, the unskilled hand, and turns out the well-equipped, successful bread-winner. This it does by means of classes of many varieties under the leadership of capable instructors who aim to provide the qualifications most needed in the preparation for self-support of the students in their care.

Education and Entertainment Committee.

There are classes where special opportunity is afforded for a complete and thorough business training. A girl starting in the business training class and passing through the regular line of those in arithmetic, penmanship, book-keeping, stenography, type-writing, and English, attains at last a full prepara-

tion for important high-salaried positions. This, of course, requires several years, but the young woman of intelligence, though of defective education, finds it well worth while.

The last in the list mentioned, the advanced course in English, has provided a great opportunity for those who have appreciated the need for a thorough grounding in correct English. These lessons in English consist of three courses of 15 lessons each, beginning with the study of words and the elements of sentence structure, including practical punctuation, and attention to common errors in expression. Then, in the second course, follow study in vocabulary, the sentence, the paragraph, until finally in course third, the pupil reaches the higher forms of study in diction, variety in expression, figures of speech, letters and letter writing. The call for these studies in language culture has increased to such an extent that two classes have been formed this year and both are now full. If, besides this knowledge of her own tongue, the student seeks to acquire a foreign language, she may take up the study of German, two classes in which have been opened this term, one for beginners and one for advanced pupils, presided over by an able teacher whose system is specially adapted to business life.

Then again there are the classes in Needlework for those who cling to woman's favorite weapon in the warfare for self-support. The demand for the dress-making classes this term is enormous and all are crowded, both day and evening. The schedule of lessons has been revised and the number of lessons in a course increased to meet the requirements of the present-day fashions, so that the pupil may be taught everything "up-to-date."

Millinery, with a thorough course of instruction abreast of the times; embroidery, taught from foundation stitches to the highest forms for artistic and ceremonial use, and plain sewing, with a fine, carefully graded system, winning the attention and approval of teachers of sewing, and all who are interested, are all to be found in this department in successful operation. The Cooking classes, combining the newest meth-

ods with the skillful training of the best teachers, are still in high favor. So, also, are the classes for training attendants on the sick. These furnish remunerative employment to women who cannot undertake the long and laborious study necessary to become regular trained nurses, but who are made ready by this course to serve in the less serious cases of chronic invalidism and the like, and for whom there is a continuous demand. The class in choir music, too, is specially good this term. The chorus, formed of graduates from this class, gives much valuable assistance at the services on Sunday and adds no small part to the attractiveness and power of the Bible class.

There is still one important feature of the class work remaining to be mentioned. This is the Art School which was reorganized in October, 1901. The two art classes which, up to that time, had been separate, were united in one school, each division carrying on its own special line, but both working together in harmony as one school, to one end, viz.: to give a complete all-round training to beginners in industrial art and manual training. In this reorganization Miss Sophia A. Walker remained as senior instructor, having special charge of the students in design, modeling, and wood-carving, and Miss K. M. Huger was newly installed over the other division of the school, cast-drawing, water-color, and painting. By the new arrangement, students may be freely transferred from one class to the other as their needs require and thereby receive the advantages of instruction from both teachers, an art training of much larger scope than under the old method. The plan has worked admirably and is now the established rule. The school is doing an unique work in correlating pure art training with manual training and industrial art. Indeed, the class department may claim to be the pioneer in this city for training raw material to use form originally through simultaneous appeal to the tactile sense in clay and the muscular, or sixth sense, in wood-carving, as well as the eye. This training does not allow the pupil to go to sleep for years over cast-drawing, nor to start in life with a one-sided appreciation of what a pure art

feeling may be used for practically. By dividing the daily time between different subjects, judgment day comes sufficiently often to keep the students awake. The school cannot hope to carry these students through specialized courses, but it can hope at the end of two, three, or four years to equip them to use eyes and hands, libraries and opportunities.

During the past summer the first death occurred in the department in all the thirty years of its existence. Miss Katherine M. Huger, the new instructor in the art school, died in August, and although her service had been for only one term, her removal was a grievous loss. An artist specially gifted by nature and thoroughly trained by the best masters at home and abroad, excelling alike in drawing, water-color, and painting, possessing unusual gifts for teaching and exerting a high and noble influence over her pupils, the results accomplished under her instruction fulfilled the best ideals of the school.

Miss Huger's successor is Miss Helen M. Turner, an artist of talent and established reputation, well equipped for her work and a specially able teacher, who comes from the Teachers' College, where for three years she filled most acceptably a position as instructor. The work of the school is progressing finely under the direction of the senior instructor, Miss Walker, to whose great ability and energy are largely due the successful and progressive reorganization and method of the art school.

In October last a class in costume drawing was opened. Its object is to teach women to sketch costumes for dressmakers, fashion books, and general illustration. A professional model is engaged to pose for the class, and many of the students are making rapid progress. Held in the evening, it is of value to those employed through the day, and it promises to open the way to paying employment. Many of the students and graduates of the class department are doing good work and earning money, proving thereby that the instruction is eminently practical. One whose only art training was in this school for a year and a half, with indomitable faith and will

added, has with her carpenter husband built a convent for $41,000, and their plans have been endorsed by the lawyers for a court-house to cost $75,000. Other students have been employed by the Board of Education in its summer schools, and the testimony to their fine work is encouraging. Still another is teaching millinery in one of the best high schools.

Of all the classes, physical culture alone is in the rear. It is not progressive, nor can it be under its present limitations. It is not the fault of the Association that there is no room for it and the necessary equipment in the over-crowded building. The need for it is appreciated on all hands and the cry for it importunate. Can nothing be done? Can no way be found for the gymnasium which has been for years the hope and desire of every heart burdened with the physical needs of the women whom it seeks to serve and save? Would that the burden of responsibility might be laid with pressing weight upon many hearts that they may come with one accord, as did the people of old, "every one whose heart stirred him up and every one whose spirit made him willing, and they brought the Lord's offering to the work."

Commencement Day, on May 19th, was again the day of days in this department. Rev. Dr. Ernest M. Stires and Mr. Warner Van Norden were the speakers and Rev. Dr. Robert Mackenzie conducted the devotional exercises. There were 314 graduates. Their work was exhibited to the public on May 21st, when between two and three thousand people went through the building to inspect and admire the fine specimens shown by all the classes.

To guard against the well known and inevitable result of "all work and no play," the committee has provided the regular monthly entertainments that mean so much and are of so much benefit, also a special Holiday evening of amusement for the Bible-class members and their friends. There have been also social gatherings of the Graduates' Association and the chorus, all under the direction and supervision of the Education and Entertainment Committee.

Having tarried long to examine at close range this large and complex division of the exposition of Association work, the gaze fixes itself next upon another important department—the Library. This is full, free, and circulating. Here are ranged the books—over 30,000 of them altogether—occupying every inch of space that ingenuity can devise; here is the reference-room stocked with well-selected works on every subject on the earth, under it, and above it, and here is the reading-room where a blessed few, out of the vast number craving it, may have the privilege of turning aside from the heat and burden of the day to read awhile. This room has grown no larger in the past year than in the years before. It can contain no more women at a time, but more and more women want it and somehow more do have it. The present average is 115 daily.

Library.

As to the reference-room, it is impossible to confine the reference work entirely to it, and the whole Library is used more and more as a reference library. During the busy part of the day, there is scarcely a nook or a corner that is not occupied. The stairs into the galleries as well as the chairs and the platform behind the desk are filled. With a view to facilitate reference work, additions have been made to the files of bound magazines until there are now complete series of Harper, Atlantic, Scribner, Century, and other leading periodicals.

The Library has printed a Fiction list during the past year. This, with the Music list and the list of books on Education, previously printed, are now sold to the readers for amounts varying from 3 to 15 cents. These have been printed in response to repeated requests from the readers for lists that could be taken home. For the past four years, Vacation cards have been issued during the summer months on which books could be taken for a longer time than the customary two weeks. As it has seemed a pity to have the shelves crowded while those off on their vacation were longing for books, it was decided last summer to allow twice the number of books to be taken—that is, four for each reader. This change was received with enthusiasm, and although no restrictions were made in regard

to the character of the books, and in spite of the fact that "Summer reading" is supposed to be light reading, nearly one-third of the books taken were of solid worth, not fiction.

Although space does not allow a separate Children's Room, the Juvenile alcove is exceedingly popular, and among the new readers has been a large number of children. This is doubtless due to the change made a few years ago in lowering the age limit from 14 to 12 years. Some of these children are so small that it is difficult to believe that the 12-year age has been attained. One little girl who came with her sister used to count the weeks until she too could be the possessor of a card.

Passing onward from these more imposing divisions, a cluster of departments is found in which great activities are carried on quietly and modestly without much outward manifestation of variety. Here is first the Employment Bureau. Here come the women who want to work and those other women who want to give them work. This is their meeting place and here the effort is made to bring them together. It is a spot where is seen rather more of real human nature than in most departments of business, the human nature which feels its need to be the most important need of the hour. The employer in her desire to secure just what fits her own peculiar want, sometimes forgets that there are hundreds of others with the same object in view. The applicant also realizing her own great and immediate need feels that her case must have the first attention. And so when the Bureau fails, as fail it must, in satisfying their demands, some adverse criticism is heard. On the other side, so many words of grateful praise are received from both employers and employed that the work goes on encouraged and sustained—hopeful of ever better and better results.

Employment Committee.

Next is seen the Needle-work Department, a busy, bustling community, where woman's work is brought and sold and where much is done to help women to help themselves. "The same work in the same way has been accomplished for another year with great success," reports the committee. It tells the story of three

Needle-work Committee.

Millinery Class-room.

Trained Attendants' Class-room.

summer sales given in the country places of kind friends who devoted their homes, their time, and interest, to such good purpose that nearly $1,000 were realized for the benefit of consignors who, otherwise, would not have received a dollar through the vacation season. The committee tells also of the Christmas sale which outstripped the record in the number of sales and the money received. With these and its daily sales in the rooms, with its Order department and its "Tide-over" work, the committee has succeeded in meeting all expenses without encroaching upon the general treasury, has helped many a woman over a hard place, and has realized for itself and its constituents,

> "The sweetness of toil as the fruit of all labor,
> The glad joy of living and working the while."

Board Directory.

Here again is the Board Directory, another of the busy departments working on and on, year after year, with much monotony and with a ceaseless round of activity. Seeking out homes and placing the homeless in them, adjusting the needs and desires of housekeepers and applicants to meet the requirements of both, ever at it and hard at it, the committee gives an encouraging report of a prosperous year and a flourishing condition. Its work does not stop or even lessen in what is supposed to be the vacation season, for it has charge then of the Summer Home of the Association at Asbury Park, and while providing rest and recreation for others, takes no thought of rest itself. Four hundred and thirty women came and went away from June 21st to September 22d—a record which has never been surpassed. Trials of costly coal and provisions, of continuously rainy days, of overwhelming numbers, of the endless trifles of the daily house-keeping for a large and taxing family, have a place in the story of the summer's experience, but all were met and vanquished, and none of them disturbed the faith that laughs at difficulties. It was a season of the highest success—not that alone of numbers accommodated or of the balancing of receipts and expenditures, but of the blessing and profit to so many

and such needy ones whose testimony rings with the gratitude that possesses their hearts.

Pausing for a glance at the divisions that come next in view, that department is discovered which has in its charge the care of the main building with all that is implied of over-sight and management in the details of the keeping of a house on a tremendous scale. The fact that all runs smoothly, with no disturbance of the eternal order and fitness of things, attests the vigilance of the supervision of affairs on the part of the House Committee.

House Committee.

Then there is that other small department of immense importance that deals with the accuracy of the money matters of the whole concern, the Auditing Committee—watching the disbursements, examining with patient care the long array of figures, detecting and correcting errors that may creep in and protecting and proving all the accounts.

Auditing Committee.

From this brief pause, the eye glances onward somewhat more afield and discerns upon the outskirts of the scene, but well within the boundaries, the two remaining divisions, the Margaret Louisa Home and the West Side Settlement—divisions so all-embracing and standing for so much that they must be described in chapters of their own.

Thus ends the circuit of the whole fair scene. It has shown itself to be the embodiment of a worthy purpose, a revelation of the "greatest thing in the world." That it may come to be more wide-spreading and beatific, that it may mean more to every one who looks upon it or has a part within it, let its blessed influences possess every heart and move it on and on with an ever heightening interest and crowning self-devotion. Then the "purpose firm is equal to the deed. Who does his best, does well, acts nobly; angels could no more."

JULIA FRANCES BANGS,
Corresponding Secretary.

Report of the Margaret Louisa Home

In considering the record of the year 1902 at the Margaret Louisa Home, two facts are brought into special prominence. One is the surprising increase in the volume of work done in certain directions, and the other is the equally large, but distressing increase in the work left undone. Without any enlargement of accommodations, by means of a trifling rearrangement of the tables in the restaurant, eight additional seats have been gained. The filling of these several times during the meal hours has resulted in a very large increase in the number of meals supplied, which exceeds the record of any previous year by almost thirty-eight thousand, and more than doubles that of the first year the restaurant was opened. Large as these figures are, they bear a small proportion to the numbers who could not be accommodated for lack of room. It has been a matter of very great satisfaction that this increase was made just at the time when the prices of provisions and of coal rose with such alarming rapidity, because the larger income resulting from the larger numbers served has made it possible to meet these demands on the side of expenditure without making any change in prices, and without falling back in the record attained last year as to meeting all restaurant expenditures.

A new departure has been made, or rather the experiment is being made, of opening a small lunch-counter for the accommodation of girls in the evening classes who are obliged to come directly from their work without time to go home for supper. These cannot afford the time required for dinner in our overcrowded restaurant and are glad to be served with a simple luncheon of bouillon or milk and sandwiches before be-

ginning their evening's work. The Employment Bureau has extended the hospitality of a corner of their room, unoccupied at that hour, and in the month in which this counter has been opened it has given great satisfaction. Tickets, proving membership in the Class Department, are required, and more than seventy have been issued, though the largest attendance upon any one evening is sixteen.

The restaurant has suffered a loss in the resignation of Mrs. J. B. Prentiss, who for more than ten years filled the position of steward with unusual ability. The large executive talent, of which the restaurant reaped the benefit for so many years, will find ample opportunities in the new work to which she has been called, and to which our best wishes follow her.

Increased demands in the restaurant involve corresponding increase in the laundry work, and that department has this year reached its highest numbers; we are inclined to say its highest possibilities, in the space available. The good work done in the laundry gives increasing satisfaction to guests who avail themselves of it.

In the rooms the record remains about the same, except for the increasing numbers refused, and the necessity for more clerical assistance, which has taken off another room and reduced the number of beds available for the accommodation of guests.

A rather disturbing element in the history of the past year was the requirement of the Building Department to erect fire escapes on the front and rear of our building; this has been accomplished at large expense and great inconvenience, but the satisfaction of knowing that the house is now fully equipped with every possible appliance for the safety of guests compensates, in some measure, for the serious disturbances of the summer months. Mrs. Shepard generously met this expenditure, as she has all others involved in maintaining the high standard of repair for which the Margaret Louisa Home is noted, and in replenishing such articles in linen, china, carpets, and other furnishings, as incessant use makes necessary.

These material facts are but the outward signs which mark the measure of usefulness attained by the Home. The comfort it supplies, the protection it affords, and the influence it exerts, are felt in ever widening circles. Their record is written upon thousands of hearts, a living testimony to what God hath wrought through this "House Beautiful."

J. P. Cattell,
Superintendent.

Report of the West Side Settlement

During the year that has just drawn to its close, the West Side Settlement has progressed along many lines, but chiefly in that branch of its activities known as neighborhood work. It is impossible to estimate the growth in figures, yet one great step forward has been the establishment on a permanent footing of the Sunday afternoon service—"The Twilight Hour." Every Sunday afternoon, from five to six o'clock, finds the Assembly Room at the Settlement filled with children, beginning with the very little ones and often including the mothers—all nationalities and all creeds—who have met together for the simple service consisting of the Lord's Prayer, the Apostles' Creed, two or three hymns, of which "Nearer my God to Thee," "Onward, Christian Soldiers," and the Portuguese Hymn are the favorites, and then the Bible Story. The interest in this service is constantly growing, more and more children are coming each Sunday, and coming because they love to be there.

The statistics of the Penny Provident Fund are probably next in importance and interest. The bank is open six days in the week from 3 to 9 P.M. It has been in operation for five and a half years. During that time there have been 5,040

depositors and $11,137.11 deposited. The amount is worthy of note, as the average deposit is from one penny to fifty cents.

It is estimated that the year round there are between 1,700 and 2,000 people coming weekly to the Settlement, the greater majority to attend the classes, which are many and varied. While the records show a decrease in the number of pupils registered in the classes, this is due, not to lack of interest, but to a more regular attendance than that of the previous year. Then the Settlement was a comparatively new thing in the neighborhood, and many came because it was new, were registered, then, their curiosity gratified, went elsewhere for the same purpose; while those who came this year have stayed, and their constant and regular attendance expresses better than words or figures how much the classes are appreciated and a truer realization of the many benefits derived.

With the additional help of a visitor this year, the regular workers have been able to come in closer touch with the women of the neighborhood, thereby increasing the interest of the mothers in the work of the children, and enlarging as well its own sphere of usefulness.

An interesting feature of the Fresh Air work was the offer and acceptance of the use of the grounds of the Misses Ely's School for play and recreation during the summer. Nearly 1,000 women and children availed themselves of this privilege. Besides the pleasure these grounds gave to many, they were of untold benefit to a group of small children who could not be sent to the country, yet sadly needed the out-door life.

During the Holidays 300 children were made happy by simple entertainments; the one beautiful tree serving six times. Best of all was the tree for the "outsiders"—those to whom Christmas meant little and brought nothing. Seventy-five were present and one family of nine motherless children were made so happy by their gifts and candy that it added much to the pleasure of all. "Another year we hope to do more for the stranger at our gates."

The Boarding Home moves on so smoothly and happily that it has become, to the full extent of its capacity, a perma-

West Side Settlement.

Holly Terrace—Summer Home.

nent abiding place for the many girls who greatly appreciate its atmosphere and its advantages. The same kind house-mother still "mothers" the girls, and they in turn are doing their part, when opportunity arises, in aiding the work of the Settlement.

Looking back upon the year so filled with blessings (even our failures have been stepping-stones to more consecrated purpose), we seek the most encouraging feature of the work and find it in the growth of the spirit of generosity and unselfishness in word and deed among those coming to the House. Slowly and surely the influence of the Settlement for good in the neighborhood is making itself manifest; to love one's neighbor as one's self is becoming a vital part of its life.

GRACE A. HIGBY,
Member W. S. S. Committee.

In Memoriam.

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Sustaining Members,
of the
Young Women's Christian Association
of the City of New York.

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"We give Thee hearty thanks for the good examples of all these Thy servants, who, having finished their course in faith, do now rest from their labours."

At a regular meeting of the Executive Committee of the Young Women's Christian Association of the City of New York the following minute was adopted for record upon the books of the Executive Committee and ordered to be printed in the next Annual Report:

"IN LOVING MEMORY

of Mrs. Royal S. Crane, who passed into the peace of Paradise on September 21st, 1902, 'in the confidence of a certain faith, in the comfort of a reasonable, religious, and holy hope.'

"Her sorrowing friends and associates in this Executive Committee desire to make permanent record of their appreciation of her devoted and efficient labors during the seventeen years of her connection with this Association, at first with the Needlework Committee and then for eight years, and until her last illness, as Chairman of the West Side Settlement Committee. She was untiring in her interest and efforts for its Home and Neighborhood work, and full of earnest zeal for the improvement of social conditions among the surrounding poor. An established centre of usefulness now bears witness to her wise guidance of its beginnings.

"Always gentle, loving, and gracious, she was strong and fervent in spirit, bearing heavy burdens of grief with unflinching faith and courage. Her memory will long abide among her fellow-workers of this Association and her name is written among those of whom we pray, 'We bless Thy holy name for all Thy servants departed this life in Thy faith and fear; beseeching Thee to give us grace so to follow their good examples, that with them we may be partakers of Thy heavenly kingdom.'"

THE INTERNATIONAL BOARD

OF

WOMEN'S AND YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

THIS Board is composed of Women's and Young Women's Christian Associations, and other organizations doing a similar work in our own land and Canada.

Twenty-three States are represented in the International Board, and there are more than sixty local Associations. The value of property is estimated at $5,000,000; Boarding and Vacation Homes accommodate 3,000; Travelers' Aid work assisted, in 1900, 7,500; the Educational classes enrolled 12,527, and the books in Libraries number 72,500. A direct religious work is done in all the Associations by means of Bible Classes, Devotional meetings, and daily family prayers in the Boarding Homes.

The Board exercises no authority as to methods of work adopted by local Associations. Help and strength, however, follow community of interest; benefit and inspiration result from interchange of experience; and opportunity for these is given at the Biennial Conferences.

The last conference was held in Cleveland, O., October 30 to November 5, 1901. In response to an invitation from the Women's Christian Association of St. Louis, the seventeenth Biennial Conference will be held in that city in the autumn of 1903. An organizing Secretary is working in the South and Southwest, and full reports of extension work will be given at this Conference.

It is hoped that all Associations will early plan to send large delegations. as the testimony of those who have attended is that they are strengthened and helped for the local work.

The Young Women's Christian Association of the city of New York is allied to the International Board, and its members should realize the duties and privileges of that alliance.

Money is needed to carry forward its important work of unifying, strengthening, and building up Associations already existing.

The local Association naturally appeals to everyone, but the need of the International Board is even greater, because it aims at the organization of the whole country, and should receive generous support if the country is to reap the full benefit of this effort to protect and to develop practical, self-reliant, earnest young womanhood.

The payment of ten dollars annually constitutes a sustaining member. A large membership would give a guarantee fund which, with other donations, would furnish the needed resources.

MARY A. DORMAN,

1st Vice-President of the International Board.

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STATISTICS FOR 1902.

CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

MEETINGS OF THE BIBLE CLASS.

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Bible Lesson by..... Mrs. J. H. Knowles, Mrs. Lucy S. Bainbridge, Miss M. Van Marter, Miss C. L. Palmer.

Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, Special Courses of Bible Lessons by..... Miss J. De G. Thompson, Miss M. Van Marter, Mrs. M. L. Woodruff, Miss C. L. Palmer, Miss A. Manning Taylor, Miss E. A. Crane.

Miss E. De Saldern, Mrs. E. W. Clapp, Clerks.
Miss Louise Taylor, Visitor.

Enrolled Members in Class	1,218
Visitors	4,627
Usual Attendance	450
Attendance at Weekly Devotional Meetings	250
Religious Denominations represented in Bible Class	13

Occupations represented: Artists, Book-folders, Book-keepers, Box-makers, Candy-makers, Cap-makers, Care-takers, Carpet-sewers, Carpet-weavers, Cashiers, Chair-seaters, Chocolate-makers, Cigar-makers, Clerks, Cloak-makers, Companions, Compositors, Copyists, Domestics, Dress-makers, Embroiderers, Engravers (wood and metal), Feather-makers, Flower-makers, Fur-sewers, Gold-cutters, Gold-polishers, Governesses, Hair-dressers, Household-servants, House-keepers, Janitresses, Ladies' Maids, Masseuses, Medical Nurses, Milliners, Missionaries, Musicians, Nurses, Passementerie-makers, Photo-colorists, Proof-readers, Saleswomen, Scarf-makers, Seamstresses, Silk-weavers, Spectacle-case Makers, Stenographers, Straw-workers, Students, Tailoresses, Teachers, Telegraph and Telephone Operators, Type-writers, Umbrella-makers, Upholsterers.

Type-writing Class-room.

Library and Reference-room.

THE FRESH AIR AND TRAVELERS' AID WORK.

Six hundred and forty-four women and girls were benefited by the Fresh Air Fund. The greater number of these were given Day Outings, and the others were sent to Holly Terrace, Asbury Park, to The Presbyterian Rest at White Plains, and to other Mountain Boarding-places.

One hundred and ninety Travelers' Aid cases were provided for during the year.

Four thousand nine hundred and eleven calls in the Chaplain's office for relief and counsel.

SUMMER SCHOOL OF RECREATION AND INSTRUCTION.

Monday evenings, Entertainments, largest attendance	750
Tuesday evenings, Bible Study, largest attendance	200
Wednesday evenings, Physical Culture, Musical Drill, and Parlor Games, largest attendance	65
Wednesday evenings, Kindergarten Games, largest attendance	43
Thursday evenings, Millinery Circles, largest attendance	36
Thursday evenings, Shirt-waist Making Circle, largest attendance	82
Thursday evenings, Embroidery and Fancy-work Circle, largest attendance	53
Friday evenings, Singing Circle and Gymnastics, largest attendance	99
Whole number of Pupils in Vacation Circles	1,269
Number of Teachers employed in Vacation Circles	7
Number of Volunteer Teachers	19
Number of Artists and Professional Entertainers	16
Number of Volunteer Entertainers	14
Number of visits to the Association Parlor from June 1st to October 1st	12,994
Number of visits to the Parlor in 1902	29,401
Greatest number present any one evening	700
Strangers welcomed during the summer (*i.e.*, Girls who had never before visited the Association)	1,827

The Society of United Workers, an organization composed of members of the Bible Class, has distributed the following cards and other printed matter relating to its work:

Special Course of Lenten Lectures	5,000
Programs of the Easter Service	1,500
Vacation Circle Schedules and cards to Religious Meetings	12,000
New Year's Eve Service Leaflets	2,000

The Voluntary Sunday Offerings of the Bible Class have amounted to the sum of $138.13, which was given to the Society of United Workers.

E. DOHENY, Chaplain.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE.

Active Members elected	15
Sustaining Members elected	14
Associate Members received	504
Life Members received	4
Honorary Members received	4
Present number of Active Members	208
Present number of Sustaining Members	327
Present number of Associate Members	1,069
Present number of Life Members	105
Present number of Honorary Members	145

E. B. T. MARTIN, *Chairman.*

EDUCATION AND ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE.

NUMBER OF PUPILS ATTENDING THE CLASSES.

Sessions held every week-day and evening except Saturday.

Book-keeping	35
Business Training	40
Choir Music	18
Commercial Arithmetic	20
Cooking	173
Cooking for Invalids	77
Drawing (Mechanical and Freehand), Design and Water-color	18
Water-color (afternoons)	14
Design, Modeling, Wood-carving, etc	20
Design, Modeling, Wood-carving, etc. (Evening Class)	23
English, Advanced Course	39
German	21
Elementary Dress-making, Repairing, and Altering	49
Embroidery	29
Dress-making (Royal System)	255
Machine and Hand Sewing	368
Millinery	222
Feather-curling	38
Penmanship (Vertical and Spencerian)	20
Physical Culture	105
Stenography	84
Dictation for Stenographers	116
Type-writing	111
Training of Attendants for the Sick	90
Whole number of Pupils under instruction from October 1, 1901, to May 31, 1902, class term of eight months	1,985
Number of Pupils under instruction during 1902	2,858

Application for admission to any of the above classes must be made in person at the Association Building, 7 East 15th Street.

The Clerk is in attendance to receive applicants every day from 9 to 5 o'clock (Saturday afternoons excepted) and every evening (except Saturday) from 7 to 9 o'clock.

TEACHERS EMPLOYED.

Miss M. Averell.....Feather-curling.
Miss A. E. Beiderhase.....Stenography.
Miss Isobel Bole.....Cooking.
Miss Mabel H. Chase.....Physical Culture.
Miss S. L. Conklin.....Stenography.
Mrs. Eleanor Dunn.....Book-keeping, Commercial Arithmetic, and Penmanship.
Miss S. A. Dunn.....German.
Miss M. T. Fordham.....Type-writing.
Miss Helen E. Gavit.....English.
Miss A. Henderson.....Attendance on the Sick.
Miss H. B. Judd.....Choir Music.
Miss B. A. Losey.....Millinery.
Miss M. E. MacDonald.....Business Training.
Miss M. A. Martin..Elementary Dress-making, Repairing, and Altering.
Miss Caroline L. Peniston.....Embroidery.
Miss C. J. Sorensen.....Dress-making.
Miss Mabel Stone.....Cooking.
Miss Helen M. Turner.Cast and Life Drawing, Color, Costume Drawing.
Miss S. A. Walker.....Design, Modeling, and Wood-carving.
Mrs. M. B. Welles.....Machine and Hand Sewing.

Miss H. B. Judd.....Organist.
Miss E. Howard.....Pianist of Physical Culture Classes.

LIST OF ENTERTAINMENTS.

January 27th, Jedediah Bassett's "Village Choir."
February 24th, Dannreuther Quartette, Mr. G. Miles and Miss Clara Bell Palmer; gift of Miss M. M. Cunningham.
March 31st, Concert and Recitals, through Mrs. Francis Forbes.
April 21st, Concert by Choir Class and Y. W. C. A. Chorus.
April 28th, Concert by Miss Amy Murray.
November 24th, Moving Pictures, etc.
December 29th, for the Bible Class, Recitals, Songs, Orchestra.
Number of Concerts, Readings, and Lectures given..... 7
Average Attendance 500

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Balance, January 1, 1902	$450.84
Received by Committee Treasury from Donations, Forfeited and Unclaimed Class Deposits, Sale of Tickets for Entertainments, and Interest on Merriam Fund	1,364.08
	$1,814.92
Expended for Christmas Greens, Dues to N. Y. Association of Sewing-schools, Entertainments, Lectures, Expenses of Commencement and Summer School	$1,145.10
Balance to new account	669.82
	$1,814.92

G. B. BALLARD, *Chairman.*

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

Whole number of books now in Library	31,516
Books added during the year: by purchase, 1,916; by gift, 407	2,323
Books removed (transferred to other departments of the Association, given away, worn out, etc.)	910
Actual increase in number of books	1,413
Books in Circulating Library (English, Foreign, and Music)	29,622
Books in Reference Library	1,894
Readers regularly using Library in 1902	5,711
New Readers registered in 1902	1,513
Study-cards issued in 1902	766
Study-cards now in use	2,857
Total circulation of books during 1902	96,070
Average daily circulation	312
Total attendance in Reference-room	6,464
Average daily attendance in Reference-room	21
Current magazines for circulation	17
Circulation of current magazines (included in total circulation)	2,920
Books of Music for Circulation	677
Circulation of Music-books (included in total circulation)	2,332
Vacation cards issued in summer of 1902	487
Books issued on Vacation cards	1,602
Art-studies for circulation	646
Circulation of Art-studies	727
Art and Music cards issued in 1902	250
Art and Music cards now in use	845
Cheer-pictures for circulation	58
Current periodicals in Reading-room	132
Total attendance in Reading-room	35,694
Average daily attendance in Reading-room	115
Average daily attendance in Library (including all departments)	448
Books covered and titled by Library Committee	4,522

Employment Bureau.

Needle-work Salesroom.

The Free Circulating Library, Reading, and Reference rooms are open daily (Sunday excepted) from 9 A.M. to 9.15 P.M.

The Circulating Library, including art, foreign, and music departments, is free to any woman, or girl over twelve years of age, living in New York City or vicinity, who is either self-supporting or preparing for self-support, and who will give satisfactory reference and pledge herself to keep the prescribed rules.

The Reading and Reference rooms are free to all women.

Dr. FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

To balance from 1901 account	$27.16
" Portion of City allowance, received from Treasurer of Association for Book Fund (Sep., 1901, to Sep., 1902, inclusive)	2,442.70
" State aid, through University of the State of New York	100.00
" Gifts (itemized in Gift List)	351.00
" Amount received from readers to replace lost books	14.02
" Amount received from sale of book lists	35.00
" Amount received from sale of books	5.15
	$2,975.03

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By amounts paid—

For books	$2,571.95
" Magazines for circulation	41.85
" Balance due on Magazines for Reading-room (above special fund)	46.86
" Type-writing	.90
" Exchange on check	.10
" Printing Fiction list, 1,000 copies	187.50
	$2,849.16
Balance to new account	125.87
	$2,975.03

MARY McLANATHAN WATSON, *Chairman.*

EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE.

Applicants registered	3,027
Employers registered	3,482
Positions filled	2,600

In the Employment Bureau, Employers are charged a fee of $1.00 for the use of the Bureau for three months, or 50 cents for one application. Associate Members have the free use of the Bureau, but other applicants are charged 50 cents for six months' registration. The Bureau is open to any young woman, resident in New York City, or its immediate vicinity, who can furnish good references for character and ability.

House Servants are excluded from its register, but Artists, Carpet-sewers, Chaperons, Clerks, Companions, Copyists, Decorators, Designers for carpets, wall-papers, tiles, metal-work, etc., Dress-makers, Hair-dressers, House-keepers, Invalids' Attendants, Kindergartners, Ladies' Maids, Manicures, Masseuses, Matrons, Milliners, Nursery Governesses, Pedicures, Proof-readers, Retouchers of Photo-negatives, Saleswomen, Seamstresses, Shampooers, Shoppers, Stenographers, Teachers of Languages, Music, and the Industrial Arts, Trained Nurses, Type-writers, and Upholsterers may be obtained there.

The clerk is in attendance to receive Employers from 9 A.M. to 5 P.M. Members of the Committee receive applicants from 10 A.M to 3 P.M. References are carefully investigated and kept on file.

Dr. FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

To Balance from 1901 account	$27.07
" Received from Applicants	1,337.50
" " " Employers at $1.00	110.00
" " " Employers at 50 cents	480.50
	$1,955.07

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By Fees returned	$8.00
" Paid Treasurer of Association	1,878.91
Balance to new account	68.16
	$1,955.07

EMMA VAN BUREN, *Chairman.*

NEEDLE-WORK COMMITTEE.

New Consignors registered during 1902	177
Whole number of Consignors on register	1,930
Fancy articles sold in Department	5,624
Fancy articles sold at Christmas sale, opened Dec. 3d (included in preceding item)	2,902

The Salesroom has always on hand an extensive assortment of embroidered articles of all kinds, drawn-work, lace-work, etc., for table, personal, and other uses, and a great variety of attractive novelties, especially in the line of garments and other accessories for infants' and children's use. All these articles are the work of self-supporting women, and all sales in the Department are for the benefit of Consignors. In the Order Department misses' and children's dresses and cloaks are made at reasonable prices.

New Seamstresses registered during 1902	46
Whole number of Seamstresses now on register	460
Garments sold in Department	233
Orders filled (representing 7,262 articles)	1,619

REPORT OF THE "TIDE-OVER" WORK.

Women employed	40
Days' work given	1,173
Garments made	995
Garments sold	856

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance (Working Capital)	$1,388.48
Order work	10,711.65
Sales (Consignor's work and Department garments)	7,131.24
Order work and sales, "Tide-over"	1,981.38
Donations, "Tide-over"	115.00
Interest, McAlpin Legacy	250.00
	$21,577.75

DISBURSEMENTS.

Seamstresses, order work	$9,170.18
Salaries, Department Assistants	1,021.00
Consignors	5,754.10
Seamstresses, "Tide-over"	1,196.05
Material, "Tide-over"	859.14
Expenses (Delivery of Parcels, Stationery, etc.)	624.99
To Association Treasury	2,120.00
Balance	832.29
	$21,577.75

MARY J. CLARK, *Chairman.*

BOARD DIRECTORY COMMITTEE.

Families offering Board or Furnished Rooms on Register, December 31, 1902	460
Applicants for City Board or Furnished Rooms entered on Register during the year	6,138
Applicants suited with Board or Rooms in 1902	3,724
Guests received for Summer Home, Asbury Park, N. J.	430

The Board Directory is open daily from 9 A.M. to 6 P.M., and from 7 to 9 P.M.

Satisfactory references as to character and reliability are required from both housekeepers and applicants before they are entered on the Register, but the Board Directory assumes no legal responsibility.

Personal application to the clerks of the Board Directory will be required from all housekeepers who desire to enter their names on the Register; a registration-fee of 50 cents for one year is charged; the houses are visited, and, if found satisfactory, are entered on the books.

Applicants for board are not charged any registration-fee. Strangers who must have a boarding-place without delay will be sent to transient accommodations until references can be obtained.

Board with lodging can be procured at from $6.00 to $12.00 per week in families. Furnished rooms without board range in price from $2.50 to $7.00 per week.

In Homes for Self-Supporting Women, transient board and lodgings can be secured from 60 cents to $1.00 per day; in hotels, rooms $1.00 per day; board with room, from $1.50 to $2.00 per day.

The Seaside Summer Home of the Association, at Asbury Park, N. J., is for Protestant self-supporting women (except those in household service).

Terms (invariably cash in advance), $10.00 for two weeks, or $6.00 for one week, including excursion ticket by boat or railroad. A deposit of $1.00 is required when board is engaged, which will be allowed on payment for board.

All applications for the Summer Home must be made in person at the Board Directory, Y. W. C. A., 7 East 15th Street, during the hours of 9 A.M. to 6 P.M. and 7 to 9 P.M. References are required.

A "checking-closet" has been added to this department. A fee of 5 cents for the first day and 2 cents for each succeeding day is charged for the care of packages; but the Directory is not responsible for damages, and no package must be left longer than one month.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance, January 1, 1902	$179.05
Fees from members	9.75
Fees from housekeepers	206.50
Checking Fund	9.73
	$405.03

EXPENDITURES.

Office expenses and carfare	$103.10
Postage stamps and cards	107.00
Books, card-catalogues, etc	52.73
	$262.83
Balance on hand, January 1, 1903	142.20
	$405.03

M. W. HATFIELD, *Chairman.*

THE MARGARET LOUISA HOME COMMITTEE.

Number of persons in the Home, January 1, 1902	111
Admissions in 1902	7,354
Remained full time (four weeks)	145
" 2 weeks or over	298
" 1 week or over	783
" Less than 1 week	6,239
Total number of lodgings furnished	40,169
Number of occupations represented	80
Meals served in Restaurant during 1902	378,511
Largest number in one month (October)	36,878
" " " " day (October 8th)	1,345
" " at one meal (Lunch, December 20th)	691
Laundry record for 1902, pieces laundered	741,703

The Margaret Louisa Home is a Temporary Home for Protestant self-supporting women; references required.

The price of single rooms is 50 cents per day; rooms with two beds, 80 cents; rooms with one double bed for two persons, 75 cents; rooms with one double and one single bed for three persons, $1.15. The rent of rooms is payable, in all cases, in advance. The limit of time is four weeks for each guest.

The Restaurant is for all self-supporting women, as well as for guests of the Home. Price of Meals: Breakfast or Lunch, 20 cents; Dinner, 35 cents.

All inquiries and communications in regard to the Home should be addressed to Miss J. P. Cattell, Superintendent, Margaret Louisa Home, 14 East 16th Street, New York City.

M. A. DORMAN, *Chairman.*

THE WEST SIDE SETTLEMENT COMMITTEE.

Admissions to Home	59
Pupils registered in Classes	1,190
Pupils registered in Kindergarten	97
Present enrollment in Kindergarten	60
Pupils registered in Sewing Class	125
Average attendance at Twilight Hour, Sunday afternoon	79
Number of volumes in Library	3,479
Number of readers in Library	2,753
Number of depositors in Penny Provident Bank	5,040
Increase in number of depositors in bank	678
Number of entertainments given	28
Number of Christmas entertainments	6
Attendance at Recreation Ground and The Claverack Home	1,502

Miss A. L. Fairfield, Head Settlement Worker.

Miss Annie Metz, Assistant Settlement Worker.

Mrs. J. B. Sharpe, Assistant Settlement Worker.
Mrs. M. L. Shepard, House Mother.
Miss Jane Belle Ahl, Kindergartner.
Miss Edna Brown, Assistant Kindergartner.
Mrs. H. M. Weed, Millinery.
Miss Maud Elliman, Basketry.
Miss Henrietta Elliman, Paper Dolls.
Mrs. P. Burt, Cooking.
Miss E. F. Ellis, Music.
Miss Dorothy Mueller, Recreation Grounds.
Miss Esther Crawford, Arts and Crafts.
Mrs. A. P. Bowne, Nurse and Visitor.
Sergt. H. M. Barker, Physical Culture.
Mr. H. Rotherham, Assistant Physical Culture.

VOLUNTEER WORKERS.

Mrs. Charles M. Brooks,
Miss M. D. Brooks,
Miss Margaret Clark,
Miss Collins,
Miss Ruth Cox,
Miss Clara Dulon,
Miss E. F. Ellis,
Miss Fidler,
Mrs. Gotshall,
Miss Laidlaw,
Miss Loessel,
Miss Louise Mabie,
Miss Lillie Merrill,
Miss E. C. Peterson,
Miss J. C. Sweetser,
Mr. Spenser.

VOLUNTEER TEACHERS IN SEWING CLASS.

Miss Emma Grant, Director.

Miss Mollie E. Bangs,
Miss Helen A. Bangs,
Miss Britton,
Miss Jane Faille,
Miss Edith Grant,
Mrs. Ralph Ives,
Miss Florence McCrea,
Miss Isabel Nash,
Miss Alice Smith,
Miss Isabel Taylor.

The Settlement Home, with its enlarged facilities for work, its rooms freshly furnished, and with abundance of light and air, offers a rare opportunity for increased usefulness.

In addition to its social and educational advantages, the Settlement carries on a permanent boarding home for self-supporting girls earning small salaries. Room (with board), $3 to $5 per week, according to location.

FREE CIRCULATING LIBRARY.

Information will be gladly given at the West Side Settlement, No. 458 and No. 460 West 44th Street.

L. A. BLISS, *Chairman.*

GIFTS TO THE ASSOCIATION IN 1902.

TO THE ASSOCIATION PARLOR.

Books from Library.

Large Bible from Miss Mary E. Whyte, through Miss S. B. Hills.

Christmas Greens from Miss Benedict.

Flowers from Mrs. C. E. Beebe.

Music from Mrs. Hanna.

1,000 copies of booklet, "Woman's Piety and Its Beauty," from Rev. Harry Jones, D.D., Chaplain U. S. Navy.

TO THE BIBLE CLASS.

From Mrs. Charles E. Sherman, for special course of Bible lessons, $100.

From Mrs. Shepard, for Bible Readings, $350.

From Mrs. Shepard, 1,500 copies of "Christ and Life," for distribution at the Easter Service of the Bible Class.

Flowers for Bible Class Service from Miss G. B. Ballard, Mrs. J. Hull Browning, Miss M. T. Cockcroft, Mrs. Bashford Dean, Miss A. B. Du Bois, Miss Annie Gibson.

Flowers for Easter from anonymous donor, Miss Acker, Miss Allen, Misses Bassett, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Davis, Miss S. F. Davis, Miss Doheny, Miss A. A. Dorman, Master R. A. Dorman, Miss F. Garland, Mrs. G. M. Grant, Mrs. E. F. Hatfield, Miss Hobbie, Miss Roberts, Mrs. E. F. Shepard.

Also from Mrs. Beebe, "In memoriam the Doctor and our children;" Miss Ballard, "In memoriam H. P. L.;" Mrs. R. A. Dorman, "In memoriam of Kenneth;" Mrs. S. O. Newton, "In Gratitude;" Miss Odell, "In memoriam;" Miss Stimson and Mrs. Weston, "In loving memory;" Miss Whitlock, "In loving memory, E. A. B."

SPECIAL DONATIONS RECEIVED BY THE RELIEF COMMITTEE.

From Mrs. F. J. Allen, Mrs. E. S. Auchincloss, Miss Baker, Miss Ballard, Mrs. J. Hall Browning, Miss M. T. Cockcroft, Mrs. Joseph F. Daly, Miss De Angelis, Miss Doheny, Rev. H. W. Fraser, Miss Annie Gibson, Miss E. L. Haines (through Miss S. B. Hills), Mrs. E. F. Hatfield, Mr. R. H. Hilton, Miss Laura E. Kountz (through Board

Directory), Miss Susan Parrish, Mr. Chr. Raon, Miss Julia T. Ripley, Miss Jennie Schafer, Mrs. E. F. Shepard, Rev. Dr. T. Howard Taylor, Mr. Carl J. Ullmann, Miss M. Van Marter, Mrs. O. F. Zollikoffer.

CLOTHING AND DELICACIES FOR THE SICK.

Anonymous donor, Miss Ballard, Mrs. J. V. Bierstadt, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Chalmers, Mrs. E. W. Clapp, Miss E. V. Cockcroft, Miss M. T. Cockcroft, Miss Cunningham, Mrs. Bashford Dean, Miss Doheny, Mrs. E. J. Hancy, Horlick's Food Co., Mrs. W. H. Lawrence, Miss Lawson, Miss McKnight, Mrs. I. L. Peters, Miss Schettler, Miss E. de Saldern, Mrs. Theo. Weston.

FOR THE SUMMER SCHOOL OF RECREATION AND INSTRUCTION.

Miss Ballard	$10.00
Mrs. Jas. Hude Beekman	5.00
Mrs. G. F. Butterworth	5.00
Miss Davison	10.00
"Friends," through Miss Moore	12.00
Mrs. J. D. Hewlett	2.00
Miss Hopkins	10.00
Mrs. W. W. Hoppin	5.00
Miss Ada I. Jacobus	5.00
Miss Kearny	1.00
Miss McNamee	10.00
Mr. W. R. H. Martin	500.00
Miss L. V. P. Moore	10.00
Mrs. Wilson Peterson	25.00
Mrs. Charles E. Sherman	50.00
Mr. Charles B. Van Nostrand	100.00

DONATIONS TO SUMMER SCHOOL.

FLOWERS FOR ENTERTAINMENTS.

From Miss L. M. Barhyte, Mrs. C. E. Beebe, Mrs. J. Hull Browning, Mrs. E. W. Clapp, Miss M. T. Cockcroft, Miss A. De Angelis, Mrs. Bashford Dean, Miss Doheny, Mrs. R. A. Dorman, Miss A. B. Du Bois, Misses Foster, Miss Julia Fraser, Miss Annie Gibson, Mrs. E. F. Hatfield, Miss M. A. Martin, "Summer Guests, Pomfret, Conn.," Miss A. C. de Vinne, Miss R. T. Williams, Miss Jane Williamson.

MISCELLANEOUS GIFTS.

All patterns used in Shirt Waist Class from Miss A. C. de Vinne.
Box of Millinery materials from Miss Doheny.
75 Pictures from Mrs. E. F. Shepard.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO FRESH AIR FUND, 1902.

Miss S. L. Acker	$5.00
Mrs. J. O. Allebone	10.00
Mrs. Clarence E. Beebe	10.00
Mr. Gerard Beekman, through Mrs. Hoppin	10.00
Miss Booth	5.00
Mrs. J. Hull Browning	10.00
Mrs. G. F. Butterworth	10.00
Miss J. P. Cattell	5.00
Mrs. B. S. Clark	5.00
Miss E. V. Cockcroft	50.00
Miss M. T. Cockcroft	50.00
Miss M. M. Cunningham	10.00
Mrs. Bashford Dean	10.00
Miss Anne A. Dorman	5.00
Mrs. R. A. Dorman	10.00
Mr. Roderick A. Dorman	5.00
Mrs. E. F. Hatfield	10.00
Miss F. L. Hobbie	5.00
Miss Hopkins	10.00
Mrs. W. W. Hoppin	5.00
Mr. G. Beekman Hoppin	5.00
Miss McNamee	10.00
Miss Odell	5.00
Miss Mary Odell	5.00
Mrs. C. W. Packard	5.00
Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard	250.00
Mrs. A. M. Stewart	10.00
Mrs. Alfred L. White	5.00
Mrs. John Morris White	10.00
Mrs. James Godfrey Wilson	3.00
Total	$548.00

GIFTS TO THE EDUCATION AND ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE.

FOR ENTERTAINMENTS.

Miss A. B. Jennings	$50.00
Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard	200.00
Miss A. M. Sweetser	5.00

Flowers for Commencement from Miss Cockcroft, Mrs. Bashford Dean, Mrs. Shepard.

FOR CLASS DEPARTMENT.

From Mrs. John B. Elliott for the Art School, Pastel Painting by Katherine M. Huger.

From Mr. M. Weil, through Miss Walker, for the Art School, 185 yards of Tapestry Burlaps and 50 per cent. discount on 185 yards.

From Mr. Kruse, 1 Sewing Machine.

From James Hill & Sons Co., 24 bottles California Olive oil for use in the Cooking Classes.

From Miss F. L. Benedict, Southern Smilax for Christmas decoration.

GIFTS TO THE LIBRARY.

Anonymous	$1.00
Mrs. William Armstrong	10.00
Miss Mary D. Brooks	10.00
Miss C. T. Burkam	10.00
Mrs. George Carlton Comstock	10.00
Mrs. Francis Howe Johnson	10.00
Miss Maxwell	10.00
Mrs. Dave Hennen Morris	10.00
Miss N. K. Pruyn	10.00
Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard	250.00
Mrs. B. F. Watson	10.00
Miss May T. Webb	10.00
	$351.00

BOOKS RECEIVED.

31	From	Anonymous Donors,
24	"	Miss Irene Ackerman,
7	"	Miss Minna Andresen,
10	"	Miss Ballard,
12	"	Miss Bayne,
12	"	Miss Benedict,
2	"	"Brooklyn Daily Eagle,"
1	"	Mrs. F. C. Bursch,
1	"	"A Business Woman,"
12	"	Mrs. Malcolm Campbell,
1	"	Conn. State Bureau of Labor,
12	"	Miss M. M. Cunningham,
43	"	L. W. Denny,
16	"	Mrs. Thomas Denny,
15	"	Miss Doheny,
1	"	Mrs. R. A. Dorman,
3	"	Miss L. R. Foster,
1	"	Miss Beth Franklin,
1	"	"A Friend,"
12	"	Mrs. F. G. Gorham,
56	"	Mrs. Malcolm Graham,
12	"	Miss Graves,
12	"	Miss Hall,
1	"	Mr. Chas. Waldo Haskins,
1	"	Mrs. E. F. Hatfield,
1	"	Miss Carrie McInnes,
12	From	Miss McNamee,
6	"	Miss Maxwell,
2	"	Miss Middlebrook,
12	"	Mrs. E. H. Miller,
14	"	Miss Montgomery,
2	"	Mrs. D. H. Morris,
3	"	Miss M. G. Morse,
6	"	Miss M. E. Neal,
3	"	New York State Bureau of Labor,
6	"	New York State Library,
1	"	Miss M. U. Overland,
12	"	Miss Peterson,
16	"	Miss Pickard,
1	"	Miss Ella L. Ray,
1	"	Miss E. A. Richardson,
1	"	Miss Roberts,
33	"	Mrs. Allen Robinson,
13	"	Mrs. W. H. Rockwood,
12	"	Miss Sahler,
12	"	Miss Schettler,
18	"	Mrs. Henry Talmadge,
12	"	Mrs. F. W. Tappenbeck,
12	"	Miss Turnure,
1	"	Mrs. M. M. Tyler,
1	"	United States Civil Service Commission,
12	"	Miss H. C. van Buren,

Drawing and Painting Class-room.

Design and Modeling Class-room.

7 From Mrs. E. W. Van Vleck,
87 " Mrs. C. E. Vredenburgh,
6 " Mrs. John Seely Ward, Jr.,
1 " Col. B. F. Watson,
4 From Mrs. B. F. Watson,
32 " Miss H. Wehle,
12 " Miss Willetts,
1 " Miss Lucy Wood,
1 " Miss Rose N. Yawger.

UNBOUND BOOKS, MAGAZINES, PAMPHLETS, REPORTS, ETC., RECEIVED.

4 From Anonymous Donors,
13 " Miss Irene Ackerman,
2 " Aguilar Free Library Society,
1 " Alliance Employment Bureau,
1 " American Free Trade League,
1 " American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals,
1 " Appalachian National Park Association,
1 " Babies' Hospital,
1 " Mr. John Bigelow,
1 " Blue Anchor Society,
1 " Bowdoin College,
4 " Brockton Public Library,
1 " Brooklyn Home for Consumptives,
5 " Brooklyn Public Library,
7 " Miss Buttholph,
1 " Colored Home and Hospital,
2 " Columbia University,
1 " Conn. Constitutional Convention,
1 " Consumers' League,
2 " Cotrell & Leonard,
22 " Miss M. M. Cunningham,
1 " Dayton Public Library and Museum,
3 " L. W. Denny,
4 " Mrs. Thomas Denny,
1 " Drexel Institute,
1 " Eastern Manual Training Association,
2 " Educational Alliance,
2 " General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen,
5 " Mrs. F. G. Gorham,
72 " Mrs. Malcolm Graham,
1 " Guild for Crippled Children,
1 " Helena Public Library,
1 " Hephzibah House,
1 " Mr. Oscar Herrmann,
1 " Indian Industrial School, Carlisle,
1 " Miss S. B. Johnson,
1 From Lake Mohonk Arbitration Conference,
1 " Laura Franklin Free Hospital,
2 " Miss I. G. Macbrien,
1 " McClure, Phillips & Co.,
1 " Manhattan Eye and Ear Hospital,
6 " Miss Maxwell,
2 " Mercantile Library Association,
3 " Mrs. D. H. Morris,
7 " Miss M. G. Morse,
1 " National Arts Club,
15 " Miss M. E. Neal,
1 " New Haven Public Library,
1 " N. Y. Board of Education,
1 " N. Y. Dept. of Parks,
1 " N. Y. Free Circulating Library for the Blind,
1 " N. Y. Historical Society,
1 " N. Y. Infirmary for Women and Children,
1 " N. Y. Orthopædic Dispensary and Hospital,
13 " N. Y. Public Library,
1 " N. Y. Skin and Cancer Hospital,
1 " N. Y. Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children,
4 " N. Y. State Dept. of Labor,
4 " N. Y. State Library,
1 " N. Y. University,
1 " Philadelphia City Institute,
1 " Philadelphia Free Library,
12 " Pratt Institute Free Library,
1 " Presbyterian Hospital,
1 " Providence Public Library,
1 " Provident Loan Society,
2 " Queens Borough Library,
1 " Registration and Trust Company,
2 " Mrs. Allen Robinson,

1 From Roosevelt Hospital,
1 " St. Andrew's Convalescent Hospital,
6 " St. Louis Public Library,
10 " Salem Public Library,
11 " Miss Schettler,
1 " Scranton Public Library,
1 " Sheltering Arms,
1 " Miss E. Stevenson,
55 " Mrs. W. C. Stokes,
11 " Mrs. Henry Talmadge,
11 " Miss Turnure,
1 " Union Internationale des amis de la jeune fille,
6 " U. S. Dept. of Agriculture,
1 " U. S. Dept. of War,
1 " United Workers, Norwich, Conn.,
1 " University of Chicago,
1 " University of Pennsylvania,
3 From University of State of New York,
1 " Wadleigh High School for Girls,
1 " Washington Square Home for Friendless Girls,
36 " Miss H. Wehle,
1 " Wisconsin State Dept. of Education,
1 " Woman's Branch of the N. Y. City Mission and Tract Society,
1 " Woman's Hospital,
1 " Women's Educational and Industrial Union, Boston,
1 " Women's National Immigration Society, Montreal,
4 " W. C. A., of Dayton, Ohio,

Annual reports from the Women's and Young Women's Christian Associations of Albany, Brooklyn, Cambridge, Chicago, Dayton, Denver, District of Columbia, Lewiston, Louisville, Newark, Newburyport, New Haven, Oakland, Philadelphia, Quebec, Worcester, and of the State Associations of N. Y. and N. J.

ART STUDIES, CHEER PICTURES, AND PHOTOGRAPHS.

2 From Mr. A. H. Clark.
4 " Miss Montgomery.
1 " Miss S. B. E. Rhoads.
1 " Miss Schettler.
19 " Miss Turnure.

BOOKS AND PIECES OF MUSIC.

From an Anonymous Donor, 1 piece.
" Miss Irene Ackerman, 21 pieces.
" Miss M. M. Cunningham, 13 books and 75 pieces.
" Miss M. G. Morse, 1 book.
" Miss E. H. Sabine, 18 pieces.
" Mrs. Henry Talmadge, 55 pieces.

Also from Mrs. G. C. Comstock a scrap-basket, and from Mrs. Thomas Denny a botany press.

DONORS OF PERIODICALS FOR THE READING-ROOM.

Mrs. Fletcher H. Bangs, "American Monthly Review of Reviews."
Mrs. J. Hull Browning, "New York Tribune."
Mrs. F. C. Bursch, "Literary Collector."
Miss M. T. Cockcroft, "Punch," "Spectator."

Mrs. George Carlton Comstock, "Educational Review," "Trained Nurse."

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Cook, "Evening Post," "Graphic," "Nation," "Popular Science Monthly," "New York Herald."

Miss Doheny, "Home Mission Monthly," "Sunday-School Missionary," "Sunday-School World."

Editor, through Mrs. J. P. Tiffany, "Christian Intelligencer."

General Book Fund, "Architectural Record," "Charities," "Critic," "Cumulative Index," "Harper's Bazar," "Harper's Monthly Magazine," "Harper's Weekly," "International Monthly," "Library Journal," "Magazine of Art," "Masters in Art," "Music," "Musical Courier," "New York Teachers' Monographs," "North American Review," "Nursing Record," "Outing," "School Journal," "Scientific American Supplement," "Silver Cross," "Teachers' Institute," "World's Work."

Mrs. E. F. Hatfield, "Gartenlaube," "American Kitchen Magazine," "Cosmopolitan."

Miss Jennings, "Ueber Land und Meer."

Mrs. Francis Howe Johnson, "Churchman."

Miss H. Keyser, "Hammer and Pen."

Miss Lawson, "Presbyterian."

Library Committee Fund, "Atlantic Monthly," "Great Round World," "Home Needlework Magazine," "House Beautiful," "Kindergarten Magazine," "Ledger Monthly," "Lippincott's Magazine," "Werner's Magazine."

Mrs. W. R. H. Martin, "Mail and Express."

Miss S. F. Palmer, "American Journal of Nursing."

The Publishers, "Advocate and Family Guardian," "American Museum Journal," "Art Review," "Book Buyer," "Bookman," "Boston Ideas," "Brooklyn Daily Eagle," "Christian Home," "Christian Worker," "Costume Royal," "Designer," "Dietetic and Hygienic Gazette," "Literary News," "Literary World," "Millinery Trade Review," "Musician," "Our Animal Friends," "Pitman's Phonetic Journal," "Photographic Times Bulletin," "Post Graduate," "Sailors' Magazine," "School," "Students' Journal," "Temperance," "Word and the Way," "Young Ladies' Christian League."

Readers' Fine Fund, "American Historical Review," "Artist," "Biblical World," "Bird Lore," "Christian Work and Evangelist," "Christian Endeavor World," "Commercial Advertiser," "Education," "Forum," "Gentlewoman," "International Messenger," "International Studio," "Ladies' Home Journal," "Living Age," "McClure's Magazine," "Millinery Record," "Munsey," "New England Magazine," "New York Herald," "New York Times," "Pedagogical Seminary," "Revue des deux Mondes," "Success with Flowers," "Vogue."

Miss A. S. H. Ripley, "St. Nicholas."

Miss A. V. D. Ripley, "Chautauquan."

Miss E. C. Schettler, "Sun."

Mrs. Wm. Jay Schieffelin, "Athenæum."
Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard, "Art Amateur," "Art Interchange," "Babyhood," "Birds and Nature," "Blackwood's Edinburgh Magazine," "Congregationalist," "Contemporary Review," "Dial," "Edinburgh Review," "Faith and Works," "Fortnightly Review," "Good Housekeeping," "Independent," "Missionary Review," "New York Observer," "Nineteenth Century," "Outlook," "Sunday-School Times," "Westminster Review," "Youth's Companion."
Mrs. Bayard Smith, "Century."
Mr. H. Erskine Smith, "Scribner's Magazine."
Mr. W. T. Sykes, "Life."
Mrs. D. B. Van Emburgh, "Christian Advocate."

Gifts to the Library Committee Fund for the Reading-room: $2.00 from Mrs. Watson; $1.00 each from Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Comstock, Miss Graves, Miss McNamee, Mrs. Rockwood, Mrs. Tappenbeck, Miss Turnure, Miss Webb. Total, $10.00.

GIFTS TO NEEDLEWORK DEPARTMENT.

FOR CHRISTMAS SALE.

From Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Blodgett, Mrs. G. B. Clark, Mrs. Hodgman, Mrs. Swords, A Friend.
Renovating Rocking-chair, Mrs. Allen.

FOR THE TIDE-OVER FUND.

Miss Carpenter	$ 10.00
Miss Cattell	5.00
Mrs. E. F. Shepard	100.00

GIFTS TO THE BOARD DIRECTORY.

Mrs. W. R. H. Martin	$150.00

FOR THE SEASIDE SUMMER-HOME AT ASBURY PARK.

Mrs. F. A. Baldwin	$ 5.00
Mrs. E. F. Hatfield	10.00
Mrs. J. H. Matthews	10.00
Miss M. M. Roberts	20.00
Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard	1,000.00

Books from Mrs. F. J. Allen, Miss I. V. Ambrose, Miss E. M. Bangs, Mrs. C. E. Beebe, Mrs. G. L. Elliott, Mrs. J. B. Harris, Miss M. M. Roberts, and Miss Emma van Buren.
From Mrs. George C. Comstock, 12 pictures.
" Miss Doheny, "The Outlook" and sheet music.

From Mrs. E. F. Hatfield, 2 single beds, 1 oak book-case, 1 fancy table, 5 pairs of curtains, 1 table-cover, 6 hymn-books, plants and "The International Messenger."

" Mrs. John H. Matthews, 2 single beds.

" Miss M. M. Roberts, 3 single beds.

" Mrs. E. F. Shepard, 100 photographs, 39 studies in black-and-white, 1 set of Dickens' works, and miscellaneous books.

" Y. W. C. A. Library, 58 Cheer pictures and 23 books.

GIFTS TO THE WEST SIDE SETTLEMENT.

Mrs. S. P. Avery, scrap-books and pictures.

Mrs. J. H. Beebe, 6 pictures.

Miss M. D. Brooks, $5 for entertainment, bed-rest, old linen, useful articles in sickness, desk, oil-stove, commode, water-set, holders and towels for cooking classes.

Mrs. C. M. Brooks, 1 piece gingham.

Miss Cockcroft, dictionary, book-case.

Mrs. G. C. Comstock, 1 barrel apples, 5 etchings.

Mrs. Elliott, refrigerator.

Ely School, use of grounds during summer.

Mrs. Gotshall, ping-pong, sugar.

Mrs. Grant, "Ladies' Home Journal."

Mrs. E. T. Hall, $5 for a friend.

Mrs. E. T. Hall, $10 for a friend.

McHugh & Co., upholstery and wall-paper samples.

Mrs. Runyon Pyall, through Miss Fairfield, magazines, pool-table, concert and entertainment tickets.

Miss M. M. Roberts, shapirograph, silk pieces, caps for children.

St. Bartholomew's, 62 garments.

Mrs. Fayette Smith, rubber tips for chairs.

Miss J. A. Sweetser, barrel apples, magazines, ton of coal for distribution.

Mrs. Horace S. Taylor, 5 tables for sewing class, Christmas cards for Twilight Hour children.

Tribune Fresh Air Fund, 100 children entertained at Claverack, N. Y.

Mrs. Arthur B. Twombly, invalid's rolling chair.

University Extension Society, 3 half courses in basketry, 1 half-course in design, 7 lectures.

Unknown, "Bookman."

Mrs. J. M. White, art calendars.

Books from Mrs. C. E. Beebe, Miss Brooks, Mrs. Pyall, Miss Roberts, Miss J. A. Sweetser, Miss van Buren, Mrs. J. M. White, and Miss C. Whitlock.

Clothing from Mrs. E. W. Bliss, Miss Britton, Mrs. Dorman, Mrs. Flagg, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Hatfield, Mrs. Hoppin, Mrs. Pyall, Miss J. A. Sweetser, Mrs. J. P. Taylor, Mrs. Vanderhoef.

OUTSIDERS' CHRISTMAS TREE.

A. P. R.	$2.00
Mrs. Bliss	1.00
Mrs. T. Blondet	4.00
Frederic Bradbury	5.00
Miss Sarah Farley	2.00
Mrs. Flagg	1.00
Mrs. Hatfield	1.00
Miss Amy Laidlaw	2.00

Toys from Miss Britton, Mrs. F. W. Credell, A. and J. D. Munn, Miss Lillie Radloff, Mrs. Shepard and household.

GIFTS
TO THE WEST SIDE SETTLEMENT BOARDING HOME.

Miss Bayne, 9 vols. Miss Alcott's works, from a friend in memory of Miss Alcott.
Mrs. E. C. Benedict, flowers.
Mrs. J. H. Benedict, cake, flowers, lemons, tea-wafers.
Miss Benedict, cake.
Mrs. Bliss, plant.
Mrs. Brown, muslin for window-curtains.
Mrs. Dorman, mountain laurel.
Mrs. Flagg, plant, cake.
Misses Foster, barrel vegetables.
Mrs. Hatfield, 6 plants, sofa pillows.
Miss Roberts, books.
Miss Wilson, barrel potatoes.

FOR THANKSGIVING DINNER.

Mrs. Allen, turkey, celery, cranberries.
Mrs. C. E. Beebe, pumpkin pies.
Mrs. Dorman, nuts, raisins, figs, bananas.
Mrs. Harris, turkey.
Mrs. Jaffray, sweet potatoes.
Mrs. Martin, turkey.
Miss Roberts, turkey.
Mrs. Watson, olives, pickles.
Settlement Committee, $6.00.

FOR CHRISTMAS DINNER.

Mrs. Beebe, candy and cards.
Mrs. Harris, 2 turkeys, 12 quarts cranberries.
Mrs. Hatfield, mince pies.
Mrs. Taylor, fancy cakes.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

January 1st to December 1st, 1902.

TREASURER'S

January 1st to

THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY

RECEIPTS.

Income from Investments:		
For General Work	$6,467 19	
" Class Department	700 00	
" Needlework Department	250 00	
" Relief Committee	250 00	
		$7,667 19
Annual Subscriptions		4,592 00
Donations for General Work		1,545 00
Class Department:		
Donations	$3,110 00	
Fees	10,915 65	
Sale of Materials	1,867 82	
Discount	1 80	
		15,895 27
Special Donations:		
For Education and Entertainment Committee	$200 00	
" Library	300 00	
" Tide-over Fund	100 00	
" Board Directory	150 00	
" Fresh Air Fund	250 00	
" Summer Home (Asbury Park)	1,000 00	
" West Side Settlement	300 00	
" Relief Committee	200 00	
		2,500 00
From Needlework Committee for Salaries of its Clerks		2,146 51
" Life Memberships		200 00
" Honorary Memberships		400 00
" Associate Membership Dues		759 00
" Comptroller of the City of New York, 4 payments for Free Library Work, Sept. 1, 1901, to Sept. 1, 1902, both inclusive		6,274 45
" Employment Bureau Fees		1,855 46
" Advertising in Report		555 00
" Rent of Hall		155 00
" Contingent Fund for Summer Expenses		7,000 00
" Margaret Louisa Home for Steam and Electricity		7,161 24
Miscellaneous:		
From Telephone Messages	$101 00	
" Sale Conference Journals	2 50	
" Discount on House Bill	80	
" Rebate on Coal, etc	7 59	
" Exchange on Cheques, etc	22	
		112 11
		$58,818 23
Balance, January 1, 1902		2,853 02
		$61,671 25

Examined and found correct.

REPORT.

December 31st, 1902.

OF NEW YORK, *in account with* FLORENCE B. ELLIOTT, *Treasurer.*

DISBURSEMENTS.

Chaplain's Department		$2,254 26
Membership Committee		605 00
Education and Entertainment Committee		218 00
Class Department		18,314 69
Library:		
Special Gifts paid to Committee	$300 00	
Salaries	2,893 50	
Bookbinding	781 70	
Balance of City Allowance paid to Book Fund	2,442 70	
		6,417 90
Employment Bureau		2,780 35
Needlework Department		2,457 51
Tide-over Fund		100 00
Board Directory		1,472 33
Finance Committee		63 45
Fresh Air Fund		250 00
Summer Home (Asbury Park)		1,600 00
House Expenses		5,668 59
Cellar Expenses		4,969 06
West Side Settlement		3,325 70
Relief Committee		450 00
Stationery and Printing		1,193 93
Insurance		222 30
Miscellaneous:		
Tax Stamp, Certificate of Stock	$ 96	
Treasurer's Clerk	161 00	
Photos. for Report	5 50	
Expenses to Utica in re Darling Legacy	13 00	
Exchange on Cheques	1 30	
Collector's Commission on Advertising	105 00	
C. O. S. Advertising and Book	9 00	
Dues International Board	128 60	
Dues State Board	5 00	
25 Conference Journals	6 25	
Safe Deposit Box	20 00	
		455 61
Margaret Louisa Home for Steam and Electricity		7,161 24
Transferred to Investment Account		372 07
		$60,351 99
Balance on hand		1,319 26
		$61,671 25

A. D. HOPKINS,
EVA B. BROWNING, Auditors.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF FUNDS IN MERCANTILE TRUST CO.

For year ending December 31, 1902.

RECEIPTS.	
Estate of Mary A. Edson, final payment on account Legacy	$3,485 03
Sweetser Legacy	4,750 00
Expansion Fund	2,248 76
Sale 130 shares Celluloid Co. Stock	14,524 90
Transferred from General Account	372 07
	$25,380 76
Balance January 1	2,587 55
	$27,968 31

DISBURSEMENTS.	
Transferred to Bank of Metropolis for Summer Expenses	$7,000 00
Transfer Tax and Legal Expenses *in re* Darling Legacy	399 42
Purchase 10 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy (U. P. Gt. N.) joint 4 per cent. Bonds	9,512 50
Purchase 5 Chicago, Terminal & Transfer 4 per cent. Bonds	4,443 75
Purchase 48 shares Sweetser, Pembroke & Co.	4,800 00
	$26,155 67
Balance	1,812 64
	$27,968 31

Examined and found correct.

A. D. HOPKINS,
E. B. BROWNING,
Auditors.

THE MARGARET LOUISA HOME ACCOUNT.

January 1 to December 31, 1902.

THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* J. P. CATTELL, *Superintendent.*

Dr.		
To	Balance January 1, 1902	$580 26
"	Receipts from Lodgers	17,507 21
"	Receipts from Restaurant	84,200 42
"	Receipts from Laundry	5,699 91
"	Receipts from Storage	103 34
"	Receipts from Checking Packages	373 25
"	Receipts from Breakage	29 53
"	Receipts from Meals Served in Rooms	24 75
"	Receipts from Extra Gas	25
"	Receipts from Sale of Stationery	66 38
"	Receipts from Telephone Pay Station	326 90
		$108,912 20

Cr.		
By	Salaries and Wages	$25,886 69
"	Steam and Electricity (Paid Y. W. C. A.)	7,108 65
"	Coal and Wood	845 48
"	Electric Lamps	116 20
"	Gas	398 82
"	Food	53,171 96
"	Rooms and Meals for Employees	12,283 00
"	Laundry Work for Rooms and Restaurant	4,774 57
"	Printing	136 85
"	Stationery and Postage	577 95
"	Refunded on Advanced Payments	363 64
"	Laundry Supplies	282 87
"	Household Supplies	711 57
"	Telephone Service	307 71
"	Special Fire Alarm Service	72 00
		$107,037 96
	Balance to New Account	1,874 24
		$108,912 20

Examined and found correct.

ELISABETH McL. PACKARD,
IDA V. AMBROSE, Auditors.

ASBURY PARK SUMMER HOME ACCOUNT.

January 1 to December 31, 1902.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* BESSIE C. HARRIS, *Treasurer.*

Dr.		*Cr.*	
To Balance in Bank of the Metropolis, January 1, 1902	$352 25	By Rent of Holly Terrace	1,600 00
" Donation from Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard	1,000 00	" Rent of Bath-houses	30 00
" Donation from Mrs. E. F. Hatfield	10 00	" Insurance	14 10
" Donation from Mrs. F. A. Baldwin for Newspapers	5 00	" Water Rent	24 20
" Donation from Miss M. M. Roberts	20 00	" Gas	78 59
" Donation from Mrs. J. H. Matthews	10.00	" Railroad Tickets	628 50
" Donation from Young Women's Christian Association for Rent	600 00	" Salaries and Wages	767 61
" Receipts from Board and Railroad Tickets	3,307 10	" Provisions and Supplies	1,801 49
" Receipts from Fresh Air Fund for Board	329 38	" Fuel	62 50
" Receipts from Rent of Bath Houses	84 30	" Furnishings and Repairs	421 40
			$5,428 39
		Balance to New Account	289 64
	$5,718 03		$5,718 03

December 4th, 1902, examined and found correct.

SUSAN M. HATFIELD,
E. B. WILSON,
Auditors.

THE WEST SIDE SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT.

January 1st to December 31, 1902.

THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* HELEN K. FLAGG, *Treasurer*.

Dr.		*Cr.*	
To Balance on hand January 1st, 1902.....	$524 05	By Amount Expended for Salaries and Wages	$3,632 17
" Donations during 1902.....	812 00	" House Expenses	3,281 59
" Amount of Appropriations from Y. W. C. A.	2,675 00	" Coal	148 00
" Receipts from Boarders.....	4,173 77	" Amount Expended for Classes.....	680 91
" Receipts from Classes.....	191 73	" Balance to New Account.....	633 88
	$8,376 55		$8,376 55

Examined and found correct.

A. D. HOPKINS,
M. A. DEAN,
Auditors.

LEGACIES, MEMORIALS, AND FUNDS

RECEIVED BY THE ASSOCIATION.

In 1876, Legacy of Mr. James Stokes, interest to be used for Writing and Book-keeping Classes.
" 1878, Legacy of Miss Mary A. Danser.
" 1880, Legacy of Mr. Marshall O. Roberts.
" 1883, Legacy of Admiral Godon.
" 1888, Gift from the Estate of Mrs. Ann Aitken.
" 1888, Legacy of Mrs. J. J. Astor, interest to be used for current expenses.
" 1888, Legacy of Mr. Frederick H. Cossitt.
" 1888, The Sarah W. Merriam *In Memoriam* Fund, interest to be used for Needle-work Classes.
" 1890, Gift of the Misses Stokes, interest to be used for Writing and Book-keeping Classes.
" 1891, The Mary Elizabeth Hoyt Memorial Case of Fine Art Books for the Library.
" 1891, The Hannah N. Lawrence Trust Fund, interest to be used for loans and relief.
" 1891, Legacy of Mrs. Mary Rogers.
" 1892, Legacy of Mrs. Adelia Gardiner McAlpin, interest to be used by the Needle-work Department.
" 1893, Gift of Miss Helen Miller Gould, in memory of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Gould, interest to be used for Business Classes.
" 1893, Legacy of Mrs. Fredericka W. Waring.
" 1897, Legacy of Mrs. Elizabeth Fogg.
" 1898, Legacy of Mary A. Edson, on account, $8,000.
" 1899, Balance of Legacy Mrs. Fredericka W. Waring.
" 1899, Estate of Mary A. Edson, 130 shares Celluloid Co. Stock.
" 1900, Legacy of Mrs. Carolyn E. Hollister.
" 1900, Legacy of Miss Elizabeth G. Cunningham.
" 1901, Legacy of Mrs. Margaret de K. Casey.
" 1902, Estate of Mary A. Edson, final payment on account of legacy, $3,485.03.
1902, Legacy of George D. Sweetser.

Form of Bequest by a clause in Will, or by Codicil in case Will has been executed.

Those who feel that, at the close of life, they would like to provide for this institution by will, or by a codicil to a will, can use either of the following forms, which have been prepared to save trouble and the necessity of consulting counsel. In the case of the codicil, it may be drawn on a separate piece of paper from the will, attested in the manner provided, and simply filed with the will.

CLAUSE FOR WILL.

I give, devise, and bequeath to The Young Women's Christian Association of the City of New York the sum of.....dollars, to be applied to the uses of said Association.

FORM OF CODICIL.

Where the will has already been signed and executed the following form of codicil may be added. It is not necessary that it should be attached to the will, but may be simply filed therewith.

I, A. B., of ....., having made my last Will and Testament, bearing date the ..... day of ....., do now make this Codicil, to be taken as a part of the same:

First. I hereby ratify and confirm said Will in every respect, save so far as any part of it is inconsistent with this Codicil.

Second. I give, devise, and bequeath to The Young Women's Christian Association of the City of New York the sum of ..... dollars, to be applied to the uses of said Association.

In witness whereof, I have hereto set my hand and seal, and published and declared this instrument to be a codicil to my said last will and testament, this ..... day of ....., 19...., in presence of the persons whose names are hereto subscribed as attesting witnesses.

..... (Seal)
(Signature.)

On this ..... day of ....., 19...., the above-named, A. B., in our presence, signed the foregoing instrument, and published and declared to us that the same was a codicil to his last will and testament, and requested us to subscribe our names hereto as witnesses; and we, in his presence, and the presence of each other, in compliance with such request, have hereto subscribed our names.

.....residing at.....
.....residing at.....
.....residing at.....

N. B.—While two witnesses are sufficient in most States, it is best to have three.

The will and codicil should be signed and acknowledged exactly in accordance with the attestation clause signed by the witnesses, in their presence, each signing in the presence of the testator and of the other witnesses.

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR 1902

FROM

ACTIVE AND SUSTAINING MEMBERS AND SUBSCRIBERS.

Checks should be made payable to the Young Women's Christian Association, and all Subscriptions and Donations should be sent to the Assistant Treasurer, Mrs. Geo. F. Butterworth, 104 East 30th Street.

Members and Subscribers are requested to pay their Annual Subscriptions to the Assistant Treasurer during the months of January and February.

The Assistant Treasurer will be glad to be notified of any error in the lists of subscribers and donors.

Acker, Miss S. L.	$5 00
Adams, Mrs. E. W.	10 00
Adams, Miss Frances	5 00
Aitken, Miss H. J.	5 00
Allen, Mrs. F. J.	25 00
Allien, Mrs. L. H.	10 00
Ambrose, Miss Mary	4 00
Andrews, Mrs. Thomas	5 00
Archer, Miss N. L.	5 00
Armour, Mrs. H. O.	25 00
Armstrong, Mrs. William	10 00
Auchincloss, Mrs. E. S.	10 00
Auchincloss, Mrs. H. D.	50 00
Auchmuty, Mrs. R. T.	20 00
Babcock, Miss C. L.	5 00
Babcock, Mrs. Paul	5 00
Bachman, Mrs. S.	5 00
Baldwin, Mrs. F. A.	10 00
Ballard, Miss G. B.	10 00
Bangs, Miss E. M.	3 00
Bangs, Mrs. F. H.	10 00
Bangs, Mrs. F. S.	5 00
Bangs, Miss J. F.	5 00
Bangs, Mrs. L. B.	25 00
Barbour, Mrs. W. D.	5 00
Barclay, Mrs. H. A.	5 00
Barker, Miss M. C.	5 00
Barker, Miss M. P.	5 00
Barnes, Mrs. T. M.	10 00
Barrett, Mrs. M. A.	5 00
Bassett, Miss A. H.	2 00
Baylies, Mrs. N. E.	10 00
Bayne, Miss V. L.	$5 00
Beadleston, Mrs. W. H.	5 00
Beattie, Mrs. Matthew	2 00
Beddall, Mrs. E. F.	5 00
Beebe, Mrs. Clarence E.	5 00
Beebe, Miss Elizabeth	2 00
Beekman, Miss C. A.	5 00
Bell, Mrs. J. C.	5 00
Bement, Miss Harriet	10 00
Benedict, Miss A. C.	2 00
Benedict, Mrs. C. W.	5 00
Benedict, Mrs. E. C.	10 00
Benedict, Mrs. J. H.	25 00
Benedict, Miss L. F.	5 00
Bennet, Mrs. W. M.	5 00
Bernheimer, Mrs. M. S.	5 00
Biglow, Miss Bessie	2 00
Bird, Mrs. George (1902 and 1903)	10 00
Bishop, Mrs. Heber R.	100 00
Black, Mrs. R. C.	50 00
Blakeman, Mrs. Birdseye	10 00
Bliss, Mrs. E. W.	5 00
Blodgett, Mrs. F. J.	5 00
Blodgett, Mrs. J. J.	5 00
Blyth, Mrs. H. A.	5 00
Boorman, Mrs. J. A.	5 00
Booth, Mrs. F. A.	3 00
Booth, Miss K. M.	2 00
Booth, Miss L. D.	5 00
Bowen, Mrs. C. W.	10 00
Boyd, Miss A. M.	5 00

Restaurant—Margaret Louisa Home.

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Braman, Mrs. C. A.	$5 00
Briddon, Miss Ada	10 00
Bromley, Mrs. M. S.	10 00
Brookfield, Mrs. William	5 00
Brooks, Mrs. C. H.	5 00
Brooks, Mrs. C. M.	5 00
Brooks, Miss M. D.	1 00
Brooks, Mrs. W. R.	5 00
Brower, Mrs. C. De H.	5 00
Brown, Miss E. W.	5 00
Brown, Mrs. J. C.	10 00
Brown, Miss Vernon	5 00
Brown, Mrs. V. H.	5 00
Brown, Mrs. W. A.	5 00
Brown, Mrs. W. H.	5 00
Browning, Mrs. J. H.	5 00
Brush, Miss A. F.	5 00
Brush, Mrs. C. H.	5 00
Burkam, Miss C. T.	5 00
Bussing, Mrs. J. S.	5 00
Bussing, Miss Mary	10 00
Bussing, Miss S. A.	5 00
Butterworth, Miss C. M.	1 00
Butterworth, Mrs. G. F.	10 00
Butterworth, Miss H. A.	5 00
Campbell, Mrs. Malcolm	5 00
Cannon, Mrs. S. T.	5 00
Card, Mrs. J. V. D.	3 00
Carpenter, Miss H. K.	5 00
Cattell, Miss J. P.	5 00
Cauldwell, Mrs. W. A.	10 00
Chapin, Mrs. Alfred	5 00
Clark, Mrs. B. S.	5 00
Clarke, Miss L. V.	2 00
Clarke, Mrs. T. B.	5 00
Clews, Mrs. J. H.	5 00
Cockcroft, Miss E. V.	20 00
Cockcroft, Miss M. T.	25 00
Coe, Mrs. G. V.	5 00
*Colgate, Mr. Bowles	5 00
Colgate, Mrs. Bowles	5 00
Colgate, Miss Florence	5 00
Colgate, Miss Hannah	10 00
Colt, Mrs. R. C.	3 00
Colton, Mrs. F. C.	5 00
Comey, Mrs. J. F.	5 00
Comstock, Mrs. G. C.	5 00
Condie, Mrs. James	5 00
Cook, Mrs. C. T.	10 00
Cooper, Mrs. C. W.	10 00
Cornell, Mrs. J. M.	10 00
Cotheal, Miss E. H.	5 00
Cowing, Mrs. R. B., Jr.	2 00
Cox, Mrs. C. F.	5 00
Cox, Miss Ruth	5 00
*Crane, Mrs. R. S.	5 00
Craufurd, Mrs. R. S.	10 00
Crosby, Miss M. R.	5 00
Crumbie, Mrs. J. F.	5 00
Cunningham, Miss M. M.	$10 00
Cusack, Miss E. F.	5 00
Cuyler, Miss E. de G.	10 00
Damrosch, Mrs. Walter	5 00
Danforth, Mrs. Elliot	10 00
Daniels, Mrs. Lorenzo	5 00
Davison, Mrs. C. B.	25 00
Davison, Miss E. B.	10 00
Davison, Mrs. H. J.	10 00
Dean, Mrs. Bashford	5 00
De Angelis, Miss Ada	5 00
Delano, Mrs. Eugene	10 00
Dennis, Mrs. J. S.	5 00
Denny, Mrs. Thomas	10 00
Deyo, Miss C. Du B.	1 00
Deyo, Miss J. D.	1 00
Dobbs, Mrs. C. G.	5 00
Dodd, Mrs. S. C. T.	5 00
Dodge, Mrs. C. C.	5 00
Doheny, Miss Ella	5 00
Donald, Miss A. E.	2 00
Dorman, Miss A. A.	5 00
Dorman, Mrs. R. A.	20 00
Draper, Miss L. H.	5 00
Dudley, Miss S. L.	10 00
Duncan, Mrs. Butler	5 00
Du Bois, Miss Mildred	5 00
*du Pont, Mrs. H. A.	5 00
Dyckman, Mrs. I. M.	5 00
Dyckman, Miss Susan	10 00
Dyer, Miss K. J.	5 00
Edgar, Mrs. J. A.	10 00
Edwards, Mrs. Pierrepont	10 00
Elliott, Mrs. G. L.	5 00
Ellis, Miss E. F.	1 00
Elmendorf, Miss M. C.	5 00
Evans, Mrs. Henry	10 00
Ewell, Mrs. J. N.	5 00
Fabbri, Mrs. E. G.	50 00
Faust, Mrs. J. A.	5 00
Ferry, Mrs. T. S.	5 00
Fessenden, Miss E. C.	5 00
Fisher, Miss E. R.	10 00
Flagg, Mrs. T. J.	5 00
Flagler, Mrs. H. H.	5 00
Flint, Miss Annie	5 00
Foote, Mrs. E. M.	10 00
Fordyce, Mrs. J. A.	10 00
Foster, Mrs. E. W.	5 00
Francis, Mrs. C. W.	5 00
Frelinghuysen, Mrs. G. G.	5 00
Furnald, Mrs. F. P.	10 00
Galpen, Miss H. C.	5 00
Geddes, Mrs. C. P.	5 00
Geer, Mrs. Walter	25 00
Gillespie, Miss H. G.	10 00
Goddard, Mrs. J. W.	5 00
Goodhue, Mrs. C. C.	5 00
Goodwin, Mrs. J. J.	10 00

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Gorham, Mrs. F. G.	$5 00
Gotshall, Mrs. W. C.	5 00
Graef, Mrs. Albrecht	5 00
Graham, Mrs. Malcolm	10 00
Graham, Mrs. Malcolm, Jr.	5 00
Graham, Miss M. D.	5 00
Graham, Mrs. R. D.	5 00
Graves, Miss V. R.	5 00
Greenough, Mrs. John	5 00
Greenwood, Miss Mary	5 00
Griffin, Mrs. E. C.	2 00
Griffin, Mrs. F. B.	5 00
Guernsey, Mrs. J. R.	5 00
Guernsey, Miss Ruth	5 00
Guimarais, Mrs. Antonio	5 00
Gunther, Mrs. F. W.	15 00
Gurnee, Miss Delia	10 00
Hall, Mrs. E. T.	5 00
Hall, Mrs. J. H.	10 00
Hall, Miss M. J.	2 00
Hall, Miss M. M.	1 00
Halstead, Miss L. P.	5 00
Halstead, Miss M. M.	5 00
Hamilton, Mrs. W. P.	5 00
Hancy, Mrs. E. J.	10 00
Hancy, Miss Jean	5 00
Hardenbergh, Mrs. W. P.	10 00
Harris, Mrs. J. B.	5 00
Hart, Mrs. G. S.	5 00
Hatfield, Mrs. E. F.	15 00
Hatfield, Miss S. M.	5 00
Hayes, Miss L. F.	2 00
Hays, Mrs. W. H.	5 00
Hegeman, Mrs. J. R., Jr.	2 00
Hertzel, Miss C. M.	5 00
Higby, Miss G. A.	2 00
Hills, Miss S. B.	5 00
Hinchman, Mrs. F. B.	3 00
Hobbie, Miss F. L.	3 00
Hodgman, Mrs. G. F.	5 00
Holbrook, Miss Grace	5 00
Holmes, Mrs. E. T.	5 00
Hopkins, Miss A. D.	5 00
Hopkins, Mrs. Moses	5 00
Hoppin, Miss E. P.	5 00
Hoppin, Mrs. W. W.	10 00
Hotchkiss, Mrs. C. B.	5 00
Hotchkiss, Miss M. R.	5 00
*Houghtaling, Mrs. D. H.	5 00
Howe, Mrs. J. W.	5 00
Howe, Mrs. W. P.	5 00
Hubbard, Mrs. Harry	5 00
Hubbard, Miss H. W.	5 00
Humphrey, Mrs. W. H.	5 00
Huntoon, Mrs. E. M.	5 00
Hyde, Mrs. A. F.	5 00
Hyde, Miss E. A.	10 00
Hyde, Mrs. E. F.	10 00
Inness, Mrs. George, Jr.	10 00
Inslee, Mrs. S.	$5 00
Iredell, Mrs. F. W.	5 00
Ireland, Mrs. J. B.	5 00
Ivison, Mrs. D. B.	10 00
Ivison, Miss S.	10 00
Ivison, Mrs. W. C.	10 00
Jacobus, Miss A. I.	5 00
Jaffray, Miss E. B.	5 00
*Jaffray, Mr. Robert	10 00
Jaffray, Mr. Robert, Jr.	5 00
Jaffray, Mrs. Robert, Jr.	5 00
James, Mrs. A. C. (1901 and 1902)	20 00
James, Miss L. W.	15 00
Janeway, Mrs. E. G.	5 00
Janeway, Miss E. L.	5 00
Jayne, Mrs. F. A.	10 00
Jefferson, Mrs. C. E.	5 00
Jennings, Miss A. B.	50 00
Jennings, Mr. F. B.	50 00
Jennings, Mrs. F. B.	50 00
Jesup, Mr. M. K.	100 00
Jesup, Mrs. M. K.	20 00
Jewett, Mrs. G. L.	5 00
Johnson, Mrs. E. M.	5 00
Johnson, Mrs. Francis Howe	10 00
Jones, Miss F. O.	5 00
Kearny, Miss S. I.	5 00
Kellogg, Mrs. Charles	10 00
Kelly, Mrs. R. B.	25 00
Kelsey, Mrs. C. B.	5 00
Kennedy, Mr. J. S.	100 00
Kimball, Mrs. F. G.	5 00
Kingsland, Mrs. W. M.	5 00
Kingsley, Mrs. W. M.	5 00
Kirby, Miss K. M.	5 00
Kittel, Mrs. J. J.	10 00
Landon, Mrs. E. H.	10 00
Lapham, Mrs. L. H.	10 00
Leclere, Miss L. H.	5 00
Ledoux, Mrs. A. R.	10 00
Leeds, Mrs. J. W.	5 00
Leffingwell, Mrs. C. R.	5 00
Leland, Miss	5 00
Lent, Miss Aletta	5 00
Lesher, Mrs. A. L.	2 00
Lewis, Mrs. F. E.	10 00
Lincoln, Mrs. Lowell	5 00
Lincoln, Mrs. R. P.	10 00
Littig, Miss M. D.	1 00
Livingston, Mrs. S. O.	20 00
Loomis, Mrs. H. P.	5 00
Ludlow, Mrs. E. L.	10 00
*Lyford, Miss F. C.	2 00
Lyford, Mrs. W. C.	3 00
Macy, Mrs. G. H.	12 00
Maitland, Mrs. Alexander	5 00
Manning, Mrs. H. S.	10 00

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Martin, Mr. L. T.	$25 00
Martin, Mrs. L. T.	25 00
Martin, Mrs. W. M.	5 00
Martin, Mr. W. R. H.	50 00
Martin, Mrs. W. R. H.	25 00
Masters, Miss S. W.	5 00
Mathews, Miss Florence	5 00
Mattison, Mrs. J. G.	5 00
Maxwell, Miss A. S.	5 00
Maxwell, Mrs. W. H.	10 00
McCarter, Mrs. E. C.	1 00
McCook, Mrs. J. J.	15 00
McKewan, Mrs. J. P.	5 00
McKim, Mrs. Haslett	10 00
McLean, Miss Ellen	5 00
McNamee, Miss A. G.	5 00
McNamee, Mrs. Richard	10 00
Mead, Mrs. C. L.	5 00
Mead, Miss K. L.	5 00
Meigs, Mrs. T. B.	5 00
Merriam, Miss A. L.	10 00
Merrill, Mrs. Payson	5 00
Meserole, Mrs. J. V.	5 00
Mills, Mr. D. O.	100 00
Mitchell, Mrs. C. B.	5 00
Mitchell, Mrs. J. A.	5 00
Moir, Miss Mary	10 00
Moller, Miss S. A.	5 00
Moore, Miss E. V. P.	2 00
Moore, Mrs. F. C.	5 00
Moore, Miss M. M.	5 00
Moore, Miss S. R.	5 00
Moore, Mrs. W. D.	5 00
Morewood, Mrs. A. P.	5 00
Morgan, Mrs. J. P.	10 00
Morris, Mrs. D. H.	10 00
Morrison, Mrs. G. A.	5 00
Mortimer, Mrs. W. Y.	100 00
Munn, Mrs. H. N.	10 00
Montgomery, Miss A. N.	1 00
Munro, Mrs. N. L.	5 00
Murphy, Mrs. E. D.	10 00
Newton, Miss A. G.	5 00
Oakley, Mrs. E. B.	5 00
Odell, Miss E. E.	5 00
Ogden, Mrs. G. M.	5 00
Orr, Mrs. A. M.	5 00
Osborn, Mrs. W. C.	10 00
Otis, Mrs. W. K.	5 00
Packard, Mrs. C. W.	5 00
Pardee, Mrs. C. I.	5 00
Parish, Miss Helen	5 00
Park, Miss Julia	5 00
Peaslee, Mrs. E. H.	10 00
Pell, Miss Ella	5 00
Pell, Miss Laura	5 00
Peterson, Miss F. C.	2 00
Peterson, Mrs. Wilson	50 00
Phelps, Mrs. G. B.	5 00
Phillips, Mrs. W. H.	$10 00
Pickard, Miss E. B.	2 00
Pickard, Mrs. F. W.	5 00
Poillon, Mrs. J. O. (1901 and 1902)	10 00
Potter, Miss Blanche	5 00
Potter, Miss Martha	25 00
*Prall, Miss E. A.	10 00
Prentice, Mrs. E. P.	5 00
Prentice, Mrs. J. H.	5 00
Pruyn, Miss M. L.	25 00
Pruyn, Miss N. K.	56 00
Pyle, Mrs. J. T.	25 00
Pyle, Mrs. W. S.	10 00
Randell, Mrs. J. W.	5 00
Raynor, Miss Mary	1 00
Read, Miss M. E.	1 00
Redfield, Miss M. E.	3 00
Rees, Mr. Norman	10 00
Reeves, Mr. E. B.	30 00
Richard, Miss Elvine	5 00
Riker, Mrs. J. J.	5 00
Robert, Mrs. J. E.	5 00
Roberts, Miss M. M.	15 00
Robertson, Miss Jessie	5 00
Robins, Mrs. F. F.	5 00
Robinson, Mrs. Douglas, Jr.	5 00
Robinson, Miss M. M.	2 00
Rockwood, Mrs. W. H.	2 00
Rogers, Mrs. Archibald	5 00
Rogers, Mrs. H. H.	10 00
Romaine, Mrs. B. F.	10 00
Runk, Mrs. C. A.	15 00
Sahler, Miss E. F.	5 00
Satterlee, Miss Marion	5 00
Schettler, Miss E. C.	5 00
Schieffelin, Mrs. H. M.	10 00
Schieffelin, Mrs. W. J.	50 00
Schley, Miss S. S.	3 00
Schley, Mrs. W. T.	5 00
Schwab, Mrs. Gustav	5 00
Scribner, Mrs. J. B.	25 00
Scudder, Mrs. S. D.	5 00
Shardlow, Mrs. Joseph	5 00
Shaw, Mrs. J. K.	5 00
Sheffield, Mrs. Archibald	5 00
Sheldon, Mrs. C. D.	5 00
Sheldon, Mrs. J. O.	10 00
Shepard, Mrs. Elliott F.	100 00
Shrady, Mrs. G. F.	5 00
Sibley, Mrs. H. W.	5 00
Slade, Mrs. G. P. (1901 and 1902)	10 00
Slade, Miss Mabel	25 00
Sloane, Mrs. W. D.	50 00
Smidt, Miss G. L.	2 00
Smith, Mrs. A. A.	5 00
Smith, Mrs. C. S.	10 00
Smith, Mrs. E. P.	5 00

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Smith, Mrs. Fayette	$5 00
Smith, Mrs. Josephine	5 00
Smith, Miss J. C	5 00
Smith, Mrs. W. W	5 00
Snow, Mrs. C. H	5 00
Spence, Miss C. B	5 00
Stanley, Mrs. M. C	5 00
Stanton, Mrs. G. N	5 00
Starin, Mrs. C. F	5 00
Starr, Mrs. L. M	10 00
Stebbins, Mrs. Russell	5 00
Stetson, Mrs. F. L	25 00
Stewart, Mrs. A. M	5 00
Stimson, Miss M. A	5 00
Stoddard, Mrs. C. H	5 00
Stokes, Miss C. P	10 00
Stokes, Miss O. E. P	10 00
Stone, Mrs. A. B	5 00
Stone, Mrs. C. F	5 00
Strebeigh, Mrs. Lefferts	5 00
Stuart, Mrs. R. M	5 00
Sweetser, Miss A. M	5 00
Sweetser, Miss J. A	3 00
Sweetser, Mrs. J. H	5 00
Swift, Mrs. G. M	5 00
Swinburne, Mrs. G. K	5 00
Talbot, Miss Anne	1 00
Talmadge, Mrs. Henry	5 00
Tappenbeck, Mrs. F. W	10 00
Taylor, Mrs. C. G	5 00
Taylor, Miss E. W	2 00
Taylor, Mrs. Horace S	3 00
Ten Broeck, Mrs. N. E	10 00
Thayer, Mrs. H. W	5 00
Thayer, Miss Mary	5 00
Thomas, Mrs. J. R	5 00
Thompson, Mrs. F. F	20 00
Thompson, Mrs. Wilfred	5 00
Thurston, Miss J. B	5 00
Tifft, Mrs. H. N	5 00
Timpson, Mrs. James	10 00
Tonnelé, Mrs. J. N	5 00
Tonnelé, Mrs. Walter	5 00
Townsend, Mrs. J. P	5 00
Trowbridge, Mrs. E. D	5 00
Trowbridge, Mr. F. K	$25 00
Trowbridge, Mrs. F. K	25 00
Trowbridge, Mrs. J. A	5 00
van Beuren, Miss M. S	5 00
van Buren, Miss Emma	5 00
van Buren, Miss H. C	3 00
Vanderbilt, Mrs.	100 00
Vanderhoef, Mrs. G. W	5 00
Vanderpoel, Mrs. J. E	10 00
Van Emburgh, Mrs. D. B	10 00
Van Ingen, Mrs. E. H	25 00
Van Vleck, Mrs. E. W	5 00
Vaughn, Mrs. H. W	3 00
Voorhees, Mrs. F. P	5 00
Wardwell, Mrs. T. F	5 00
Watson, Mrs. B. F	10 00
Weatherbee, Mrs. E. H	10 00
Webb, Miss M. T	2 00
Webb, Mrs. W. S	50 00
Weber, Mrs. E. Y	5 00
Welch, Mrs. A. M	5 00
Wendell, Mrs. Burr	5 00
Wheeler, Miss E. M	10 00
Wheelock, Mrs. G. G	10 00
Wheelock, Mrs. W. E	10 00
White, Mrs. A. L	5 00
White, Mrs. J. Morris	5 00
White, Mrs. L. D	5 00
Whitlock, Miss C. P	2 00
Wilkinson, Miss E. S	5 00
Wilkinson, Mrs. James	5 00
Willetts, Miss Amie	2 00
Wilson, Miss A. R	5 00
Wilson, Miss E. B	10 00
Wilson, Mrs. H. R	10 00
Wilson, Mrs. H. S	10 00
Wilson, Mrs. J. G	5 00
Wilson, Miss Mabel	10 00
Witherbee, Mrs. F. S	10 00
Wooster, Mrs. G. H	5 00
Wright, Mrs. J. Hood	10 00
Wright, Mr. J. Howard	25 00
Wynkoop, Miss Henrietta	5 00
Zollikoffer, Mrs. O. F	5 00

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"A Friend"	$20 00
"M. H. A."	1,000 00
Allebone, Mrs. J. O	10 00
Armstrong, Mrs. William	15 00
Bussing, Mr. J. S	25 00
Butterworth, Mr. G. F. (for Honorary Membership)	100 00
Cockcroft, the Misses (for Choir Music Class)	500 00
Cunningham, Mr. F. G	$10 00
Gibson, Miss Annie	5 00
Holden, Mrs. D. J	5 00
"J. V. V. B."	10 00
Kelly, Mr. R. B. (for Honorary Membership)	100 00
Kelly, Mrs. R. B. (for Life Membership)	50 00
Lewis & Conger, Messrs.	20 00

Martin, Mrs. W. R. H. (for the Board Directory)	$150 00
MacDonald, Mrs. Francis	5 00
Parish, Miss S. D.	25 00
Penfold, Miss	25 00
Reid, Mrs. Whitelaw	50 00
Reid, Mrs. Whitelaw (for the West Side Settlement)	200 00
"C. S."	15 00
Shepard, Mrs. Elliott F. (for Departments)	2,300 00
Shepard, Mrs. Elliott F. (for Special Classes)	1,000 00
Shepard, Mrs. Elliott F. (for rent of Asbury Park Home)	1,000 00
Shepard, Mrs. Elliott F. (for the Fresh Air Fund)	$250 00
Shepard, Mrs. Elliott F. (for Thanksgiving)	100 00
Sloane, Mrs. W. D.	200 00
Smith, Mrs. W. M.	5 00
Talmadge, Mrs. Henry (for Life Membership)	50 00
White, Mr. A. L.	50 00
White, Mrs. J. M.	50 00
White, Mrs. J. S. (for Honorary Membership)	100 00
Wilson, Mr. H. B.	10 00
Wilson, Mrs. J. G. (for Life Membership)	50 00

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Talmadge, Mrs. Henry
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Martin, Mrs. W. R. H.
White, Mrs. J. Stuart

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Armstrong, Mrs. William
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Ballin, Miss Bessie
Bangs, Miss E. M.
Bangs, Mrs. Fletcher H.
Bangs, Miss Julia F.
Barker, Miss M. C.
Barker, Miss M. P.
Barrett, Mrs. Mary A.
Bassett, Miss Adeline H.
Bassett, Miss Laura W.
Bayne, Miss V. L.
Beattie, Mrs. Matthew
Beebe, Mrs. Clarence E.
Beebe, Miss Elizabeth
Benedict, Miss Anna C.
Benedict, Miss Fannie L.
Bennet, Mrs. Walter M.
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Bliss, Mrs. E. W.
Blodgett, Mrs. F. J.
Bowne, Miss E. E.
Boyd, Miss Annie M.
Brooks, Mrs. Charles M.
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Brower, Mrs. Charles DeHart
Brown, Mrs. W. H.
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Clark, Mrs. Benjamin S.
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Clyde, Miss Mabel
Cockcroft, Miss E. V.
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Coffin, Mrs. F. T. Haskell
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Cowing, Mrs. Rufus B., Jr.
Cox, Mrs. Charles F.
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Crary, Mrs. Geo. W.
Cunningham, Miss M. M.
Cusack, Miss Ella F.
Daniels, Mrs. Lorenzo
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Dean, Mrs. Bashford
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Deyo, Miss Cornelia DuB.
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Doheny, Miss Ella
Donald, Miss Anna E.
Dorman, Mrs. R. A.
Ellis, Miss Ethel F.
Elliott, Mrs. George L.
Evans, Mrs. Henry
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Flagg, Mrs. Thomas J.
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Hall, Mrs. E. Trowbridge
Hall, Miss Martha J.
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Harris, Mrs. James B.
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Hope, Mrs. George H.
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Lyford, Mrs. Wright C.
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McNamee, Miss A. G.
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Martin, Mrs. W. R. H.
Maxwell, Miss A. S.
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Moore, Miss E. V. P.
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Perlee, Miss M. L.
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Phillips, Mrs. C. E. H.
Pickard, Miss Emily B.
Potter, Miss Martha
Pruyn, Miss M. L.
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Raynor, Miss Mary
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NAME AND ACT OF INCORPORATION.

This Association was incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York, April 29, 1873. On March 10, 1876, the name of the Association was changed to "THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK."

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

AN ACT to incorporate the Young Ladies' Christian Association of the City of New York. Passed April 29, 1873.

§ 1. Caroline D. Roberts, Hannah S. Brick, Julia C. Jayne, Henrietta E. Talcott, Margaret L. V. Shepard, Sarah E. Wendell, Stella B. Lee, Kate Oakley, Olivia E. P. Stokes, Sarah B. Hills, Margaret D. Harper, Mary Beach, Louise F. Underhill, Mary L. McCready, Georgiana B. Ballard, Mary A. Aitken, and their associates, are hereby constituted a body corporate by the name of "The Young Ladies' Christian Association of the City of New York."

§ 2. [As amended by Chapter 333 of the Laws of 1897.]

The object of this corporation shall be the improvement of the temporal, social, mental, moral, and religious condition of the young women of the City of New York, particularly of those dependent upon their own exertions for support, by procuring employment and safe boarding-places, by Bible classes, social and religious meetings, libraries and reading-rooms and educational advantages, and such other means and services as may conduce to the accomplishment of this object.

§ 3. [As amended by Chapter 333 of the Laws of 1897.]

This corporation shall hereafter be managed by an executive committee composed of thirty members. Those members of the committee now in office may remain therein for the terms for which they were respectively elected. The additional six members shall be elected at a special meeting called pursuant to the constitution within two months after this Act takes effect, two for the year now current, two for the term of two years, and two for the term of three years from the first Monday of January, 1897, and thereafter ten members of the committee shall be elected on the first Monday of December in each year, to hold office respectively for the term of three years, or until others are elected. The executive committee shall, hereafter, be composed of, and chosen from, persons in communion with Protestant Evangelical churches, and representing at least five denominations, and not more than two-fifths of such committee shall be members of any one denomination. All vacancies in the executive committee or in the offices of said committee, shall be filled as the constitution and by-laws direct.

§ 4. This corporation may make such a constitution, and the executive committee such by-laws and rules for the regulation of its business, the management of its affairs, the choice, powers, and duties of its officers and agents, as are not inconsistent with its charter and the laws of the State, excepting that the provisions of its constitution declaring that the officers and chairmen of committees shall be elected by the executive

committee out of their own number, and that all the members of said executive committee shall be members in good standing of Protestant Evangelical churches, shall not be altered or repealed.

§ 5. [As amended by chapter 333 of the Laws of 1897.]

The body corporate created by this act, shall, with the consent of the advisory board, be capable of taking, by gift, purchase, devise, or bequest, and holding, mortgaging, and conveying any real or personal estate for the benefit of said corporation, but such real and personal estate shall not exceed in value the amount limited by law. The body corporate created by this act, in addition to the powers and rights hereinbefore specified, shall have power to take, subject to the consent of the advisory board, by grant, conveyance, gift, devise, or bequest, any real or personal property to be held in trust by it, to found and maintain professorships, lectureships, courses of instruction, educational classes and scholarships, and for any other specific purpose comprehended in the general objects authorized by this act. Said trust may be created subject to such conditions and visitations as may be prescribed by the grantor or donor, and accepted by the said corporation, and may continue for such time as may be necessary to accomplish the purposes for which they are created. Morris K. Jesup, Howard Potter, Elbert B. Monroe, Jacob F. Wyckoff, James Stokes, Jr., Riley A. Brick, Bowles Colgate, William A. Cauldwell, Ames Van Wart, and Robert R. McBurney are hereby constituted the advisory board, and whenever a vacancy shall occur in said advisory board the same shall be filled by a majority vote of those remaining. All the members of said board shall be communicants in good standing, and representing at least five different Protestant Evangelical denominations, but not more than three shall be members of any one denomination. No trust shall be accepted by this corporation, nor any conveyance, mortgage, or lien be created upon the property owned by this corporation, nor any property be leased or purchased, or any debt exceeding one thousand dollars in amount be created except upon the approval of the advisory board. No intoxicating drinks, or strong or lager beer shall be sold or used, or gambling allowed upon any part of the real estate owned by the corporation. The real estate held by the association shall not be liable for any future debt or obligation of the association, unless the same shall have been contracted with the approval of said advisory board.

§ 6. Upon the acceptance of this charter by the Young Ladies' Christian Association, this act shall take effect and become operative; but persons holding office as members of the executive committee, when this charter is accepted, shall continue as such until an executive committee is formed and empowered to act in accordance with the provisions of this charter.

§ 7. All devises and bequests to said corporation shall be subject to provisions of an Act entitled "An Act relating to wills," passed April 13, 1860, and the acts amending the same.

Repealing clause, Chapter 377 of the Laws of 1897.

All provisions in the act hereby amended inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

PREAMBLE.

We, the members, desirous of promoting the temporal, social, mental, moral, and religious welfare of Young Women, particularly of such as are dependent upon their own exertions for support, do form ourselves into an Association for this object, and do hereby adopt the following

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I.

NAME AND OBJECT.

Section 1. This Society shall be known as "The Young Women's Christian Association of the City of New York."

Sec. 2. The object of the Association shall be to promote the temporal, social, mental, moral, and religious welfare of Young Women, particularly of those dependent upon their own exertions for support, by ways and means to be hereinafter designated.

ARTICLE II.

MEMBERS.

Sec. 1. The members of the Association shall be divided into five classes—viz., Active, Sustaining, Associate, Life, and Honorary.

Sec. 2. Any young woman, married or single, may become an Active Member by the vote of a majority of the Membership Committee, confirmed by the Executive Committee. She must be introduced by an Active Member, and her full name and residence must be presented in writing to the Chairman

of the Membership Committee, signed by the member introducing her. She shall have the right of voting, and shall pay to the Treasurer annually, in advance, a sum not less than One Dollar.

SEC. 3. Those who feel an interest in the objects of the Association, *but are unable to engage in its active work*, may become *Sustaining Members*. They must be introduced by a member of the Association, and their full name and residence must be presented in writing to the Chairman of the Membership Committee, signed by the member introducing them. They shall pay an annual subscription in advance of not less than Five Dollars; and shall have the privilege of attending the Business Meetings of the Association, but shall not be entitled to vote.

SEC. 4. Any self-supporting woman may become an Associate Member by the payment of One Dollar per year, and the furnishing of such reference as may be required.

SEC. 5. Life Membership may be constituted by a Donation of Fifty Dollars—given at any one time.

SEC. 6. Honorary Membership may be constituted by a Donation of One Hundred Dollars—given at any one time.

ARTICLE III.

DUTIES OF ACTIVE MEMBERS.

SEC. 1. It shall be the duty of Active Members to extend the work of the Association—by increasing its membership and by raising funds for the purposes of the Association.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of Active Members to attend the monthly meetings of the Association, assisting in the business of the meetings, and, at the December meeting, electing members of the Executive Committee; also to co-operate with the Executive Committee, in accordance with plans by it presented, in seeking out young women who stand in need of the help of the Association, and becoming personally interested in the welfare of such; in aiding them to procure suitable board-

ing-places and to find employment; to secure their attendance at Church; also at the Bible-Class and religious meetings of the Association; and to invite them to all the social and intellectual advantages offered by the Association.

SEC. 3. Active Members shall hold themselves in readiness to serve regularly upon at least one, and on not more than two, of the Standing Committees; and shall seek to promote, by all possible means, the spiritual prosperity of their own sex.

ARTICLE IV.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

SEC. 1. The Executive Committee shall consist of thirty Active Members of the Association, who shall be communicants in Protestant Evangelical Churches, representing at least five denominations, and no more than two-fifths shall be chosen from any one of said denominations. They shall be elected at the regular meeting of the Association held on the first Monday in December, in conformity with the provision of Section 3d in the Act of Incorporation.

SEC. 2. The Executive Committee shall elect from its own number all Officers of the Association and Chairmen of the Standing Committees. It shall fill all vacancies in its own number, and shall have the general superintendence and control of all the affairs of the Association. It shall have authority to make, adopt, and amend such rules and by-laws as shall by it be deemed expedient for its own government and the government of the Association, not inconsistent with the Constitution.

SEC. 3. Its members shall serve, when needed, on any special work of the Association.

ARTICLE V.

OFFICERS.

SEC. 1. The Officers of the Association shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Treasurer, an Assistant Treasurer, a Corresponding Secretary, and a Recording Sec-

retary, who shall be elected annually, by ballot from and by the Executive Committee, on the first Thursday in January of each year. Should the first Thursday fall on New Year's Day, then the election of officers shall be held on the Thursday next following.

SEC. 2. Should any of the offices specified in Section 1st of this Article, or any other office hereinafter at any time created, be or become temporarily or permanently vacant, such vacancy may be filled by a three-quarter vote of the members present at any regular meeting of the Executive Committee, provided that a written notice of such proposed election shall have been sent to each member of said Committee, at least ten days previous to said meeting.

ARTICLE VI.

ADVISORY BOARD.

The Advisory Board, as named in Section 5th of the Act of Incorporation, shall have all the powers, and perform all the duties incumbent upon them, in conformity with said Section 5th of the Act of Incorporation.

ARTICLE VII.

MEETINGS.

SEC. 1. The Executive Committee shall hold a meeting each week, from September 1st to July 1st, at such time and place as the By-Laws prescribe. Seven members shall constitute a quorum. It shall meet at the call of the President during July and August.

SEC. 2. There shall be a Meeting of the Association to promote Christian and social intercourse, and to advance the interests of the Association, on the first Monday of each month, from October to May inclusive. At this meeting reports shall be presented from the several Committees, the Recording Secretary and Treasurer. Fifteen members shall constitute a quorum.

SEC. 3. At the regular meeting of the Association on the first Monday in December, there shall be an election of ten members of the Executive Committee (as provided in Section 3d of the Act of Incorporation), and every Active Member of the Association shall receive written or printed notice of this meeting and of the said election.

SEC. 4. There shall be an Annual Meeting of the Association on the first Monday of February, at which the Annual Statistics, and Reports of the Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer shall be presented, and such other business as may be ordered by the Executive Committee.

SEC. 5. All Meetings of the Association shall be opened and closed with devotional exercises.

ARTICLE VIII.

COMMITTEES.

SEC. 1. No Standing or Special Committees shall contract any money indebtedness without a previous appropriation from the Executive Committee.

SEC. 2. The powers and duties of the several Standing Committees shall be defined and limited in the By-Laws of the Association.

ARTICLE IX.

AMENDMENTS.

SEC. 1. This Constitution may be amended at any Annual Meeting of the Association, by a two-thirds vote of the Active Members then present, provided notice of the proposed amendments shall have been given at a previous regular meeting, and provided, also, that such proposed amendments shall have been approved by a majority of the Executive Committee at a regular meeting (a written notice of such proposed amendments having been given to each member of the Executive Committee at least ten days previous thereto) held at least one month previous to the meeting of the Association when such amendments are acted on.

Sec. 2. Amendments may be proposed at any regular meeting of the Executive Committee. If at a regular meeting not earlier than one month thereafter, such amendments be approved by a majority of all the members of the Committee, they shall be reported to the next regular meeting of the Association, and a vote may be taken upon them at the next succeeding regular meeting, when they may be adopted by a vote of two-thirds of the Active Members then present.

Sec. 3. But Article II. and Article IV. shall not be altered nor amended without the consent of five-sixths of all the members of the Executive Committee, signified by vote at a regular meeting, and written notice of such proposed alteration or amendment shall be given to each member of the Committee, at least ten days prior to the meeting when such vote is taken.

BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

SECTION 1. The Executive Committee shall meet on Thursdays at 10.30 o'clock A.M., at such place as it shall appoint.

SEC. 2. The order of business shall be as follows:

1. Calling the roll.
2. Prayer.
3. Reading the minutes of the preceding meeting.
4. Unfinished business.
5. Presentation and approval of bills, reading of letters, etc.
6. Proposal of new members.
7. Reports and recommendations of Committees.
8. Miscellaneous business.

SEC. 3. In case of the absence of the President and all Vice-Presidents from any meeting of the Executive Committee or of the Association, the Executive Committee shall choose from its own number a member who shall preside at said meeting.

SEC. 4. Any member of the Executive Committee changing her denominational connection shall be deemed to have resigned, and the vacancy so created shall be filled by the said Committee.

SEC. 5. Any member of the Executive Committee absenting herself for one month from the meetings of said Committee, without presenting reasonable excuse to the President and obtaining leave of absence, shall be considered as having resigned therefrom and shall be notified accordingly.

SEC. 6. The Executive Committee shall have power to in-

vite to its meetings, for a specified length of time and for a special purpose, the assistant Chairman of any Standing Committee, the Chairman of any Special Committee, or any former member of the Executive Committee; but the person thus attending shall not be entitled to vote.

SEC. 7. The Executive Committee shall hear and consider the recommendations of the Chairmen of the Standing Committees in regard to the employment of teachers, clerks, or other officials or assistants, also in regard to all disbursements for salaries or other expenses, authorizing the same if approved and making due appropriation; and such approval and appropriation shall be necessary before any official or assistant is engaged or any expense incurred.

SEC. 8. The Executive Committee shall consider all matter which is written for publication or circulation on behalf of the Association by any member or official of the Association as such, endorsing the same if approved; and such approval shall be necessary before such publication or circulation.

SEC. 9. The Executive Committee shall have power to withhold any or all of the privileges of the Association from any woman concerning whom it shall have satisfactory evidence that she is unworthy such privileges, or from any woman who wilfully disobeys the rules, or from any woman who is known to be exerting an influence contrary to the spirit and aims of the Young Women's Christian Association.

ARTICLE II.

THE DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

SEC. 1. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, and she shall have the casting vote; also to call special meetings of the Executive Committee at the written request of not less than three of its members. The President shall appoint all special committees, and shall be a member *ex-officio* of all the Standing Committes.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the First Vice-President to

act for the President, and to preside at all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, in the absence of the President.

SEC. 3. In case of the inability of the First Vice-President to act for the President, it shall be her duty to see that the Second or Third Vice-President is requested to act for her.

DUTIES OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to attend all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee; to conduct the correspondence, filing and preserving all important letters, and retaining copies of all important letters written by her; to prepare the Annual Report of the Association, under the direction of the Executive Committee; and to notify members of their election by the Executive Committee to any office or to the membership of said Committee, or of any Special Committee appointed by the President.

DUTIES OF THE RECORDING SECRETARY.

SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of the Recording Secretary to take the minutes of all meetings of the Association and of the Executive Committee, preserving them in permanent form, and to notify Active and Sustaining Members of their election.

DUTIES OF THE TREASURER.

SEC. 6. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all funds for the Association, to give receipts for the same, and to deposit them in a bank designated by the Executive Committee.

She shall keep a strict record and account of all subscriptions, donations, receipts and expenditures, presenting a report of the same to the Association at each monthly meeting, and preparing an Annual Report for publication.

She shall keep the name and residence of each subscriber and donor, and shall inform the Chairman of the Membership

Committee of any change in the same. She shall also notify new members of their annual dues.

She shall pay, by her check as Treasurer, all sums appropriated by the Executive Committee, upon presentation of bills approved and endorsed by the Auditing Committee.

The Treasurer may be assisted and represented in any or all of the duties of her office by the Assistant-Treasurer, as provided in Section 7th of this Article.

SEC. 7. The Assistant-Treasurer shall, under the direction of the Treasurer, assist in any or all of the duties of the office of Treasurer, as described in Section 6th of this Article; shall represent the Treasurer, at the request of the Treasurer, approved by the Executive Committee, or at the request of the Executive Committee alone, and when thus authorized may perform any or all of the duties of the Treasurer, as specified in Section 6th of this Article and subject to the conditions therein provided.

SEC. 8. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary, the Recording Secretary, the Treasurer, and the Assistant-Treasurer promptly to notify the Executive Committee of any intended absence, and to request the appointment of a substitute to perform the duties of their respective offices during such absence.

ARTICLE III.

GIFTS OF MONEY.

All money for the Association should be enclosed in an envelope and given to the Treasurer or Assistant-Treasurer, with a written statement of the amount, the full name and address of the donor, the name of the person through whom it is received, and whether it be a Donation or an Annual Subscription.

ARTICLE IV.

NEW MEMBERS.

Any member presenting a Candidate for Active Membership shall obtain her signature to the Membership form, and

shall send the form, when filled out, to the Chairman of the Membership Committee.

ARTICLE V.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

SEC. 1. Each Standing Committee shall be composed of Active Members of the Association, with a Chairman chosen from and by the Executive Committee. The title and work of each Standing Committee shall be determined by the Executive Committee.

SEC. 2. All Standing Committees shall be limited in membership, the number of members to be decided by their respective Chairmen.

SEC. 3. The Chairmen of Standing Committees shall present all important business for the consideration of the Executive Committee; they shall obtain its approval before publishing or circulating any reading matter on behalf of the Association or any department thereof; they shall select and engage all assistants necessary for their work, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee, and shall secure its approval and due appropriation before incurring any obligation for salaries or other expenditures.

SEC. 4. Any Chairman, in case of intended absence of one month or more, shall request the Executive Committee to appoint a substitute to act in her place.

SEC. 5. Any officer, except the Chairman, required by any Committee shall be elected by that Committee upon the nomination of the Chairman.

SEC. 6. The Standing Committees shall make their own Rules and By-Laws, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee, and shall appoint their respective times and places of meeting.

SEC. 7. In the absence of any special provision one-fourth of the members of any Standing Committee shall constitute a quorum. In the absence of a quorum five members may transact business, subject to the approval of the next regular meeting of the Committee.

ARTICLE VI.

ATTENDANCE UPON MEETINGS.

SEC. 1. Active Members will be notified of regular meetings of the Association.

SEC. 2. Any member absenting herself for two months from the meetings and the work of her Committee, without presenting a reasonable excuse to the Chairman and obtaining leave of absence, may be considered as having resigned therefrom, and shall be notified accordingly.

SEC. 3. Any Chairman may request the Executive Committee to grant leave of absence, not exceeding six months, to any member of her Committee who purposes to resume her work at the end of that time.

ARTICLE VII.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall be composed of not less than nine members, four of whom shall be members of the Executive Committee.

It shall receive all names presented for Membership, and shall recommend to the Executive Committee for acceptance such names as the Membership Committee approves.

It shall also keep a full and complete record of all the Active, Sustaining, Associate, Life, and Honorary Members of the Association, for ready reference by the Association.

It shall be the duty of each member of this Committee to inform herself thoroughly of the work of the Association in general, and of the special work of the respective Committees.

It shall be the duty of the members of this Committee to meet all candidates for Active Membership and explain to them the objects and aims of the Association, and the work of the different departments thereof.

Four members shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE VIII.

EDUCATION AND ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge and control of all social and educational advantages offered by the Association to self-supporting women.

It shall have the management of Lectures and Entertainments, and shall organize and superintend all Classes, and shall select and engage all teachers, clerks, and other assistants necessary for its work, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE IX.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge and control of a Free Circulating Library for the use of self-supporting women.

It shall also have charge and control of a Free Reference Library and a Free Reading Room for the use of women, and shall provide for the proper care, arrangement, and increase of all these departments, selecting and engaging Librarians and other necessary assistants, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE X.

EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge and control of receiving and placing all women who apply for employment.

It shall become acquainted with and take personal interest in all such applicants, and continue this interest as long as practicable; shall obtain their references, both in regard to character and capacity; shall give such counsel and advice as may be needed, and shall seek by every means to find suitable employment for all deserving women who may present themselves.

It shall select and engage all necessary clerks and assistants for its work, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE XI.

NEEDLE-WORK COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge of all orders for sewing and fancy-work received at the Association, and also of all articles brought to the Association to be sold.

It shall engage all clerks and assistants necessary for its work, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE XII.

BOARD DIRECTORY COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge of receiving all women who apply for board or furnished rooms in the city; also those who apply for admission to the Summer Homes of the Association. It shall require satisfactory references from all applicants.

It shall endeavor to find comfortable homes in Christian families for young women, securing satisfactory references as to the character of each family, and as thorough a knowledge of each home as is possible through personal visitation.

It shall interest itself in all who apply at the Directory, giving such advice and guidance as may be necessary.

It shall engage all necessary clerks and assistants for its work, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE XIII.

HOUSE COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge of the building No. 7 East 15th Street, and shall, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee, engage the janitor, engineers, and other assistants necessary for the proper care and service of the building. It shall disburse all moneys received from the Treasurer for wages and supplies, and shall superintend such repairs, alterations, and furnishing as the Executive Committee shall authorize.

ARTICLE XIV.

MARGARET LOUISA HOME COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge of all matters connected with the Home and Restaurant. It shall engage a Superintendent for the Home and Manager for the Restaurant, with such assistants as may be necessary, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE XV.

THE WEST SIDE SETTLEMENT COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge and control of all matters connected with the work of the West Side Settlement of this Association established at 458 West 44th Street, engaging the Superintendent and such assistants as may be necessary, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE XVI.

AUDITING COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall be composed of at least eight members chosen by the Executive Committee, three of whom shall be members of the Executive Committee. It shall keep an account of all appropriations made by the Executive Committee, and shall duly approve all just bills, endorsing them for payment by the Treasurer. This Committee shall audit the Treasurer's books and accounts on the first Wednesday of every second month, beginning with November. This Committee shall provide for the auditing of the accounts of each department, which shall be audited at least twice a year by an auditor of the department and a member of the Auditing Committee.

ARTICLE XVII.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have full knowledge of the state of the Treasury from month to month. It shall devise and

recommend plans for raising money, and shall endeavor to keep the resources of the Treasury equal to the demands of the work.

It shall lay before the Executive Committee, in February of each year, a financial statement comprehending a general view of the Treasury, its income and expenditure, and estimates for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE XVIII.

THE RELIEF COMMITTEE.

This Committee shall have charge and control of the personal relief and assistance of all sick and needy women, and of the Fresh Air and Travelers' Aid Work. It shall hold and disburse all funds contributed for these purposes. It shall engage all necessary clerks and assistants, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE XIX.

AMENDMENTS.

These By-Laws may be amended by a three-quarters vote of the members present at any regular meeting of the Executive Committee, provided notice of such amendment be sent to each member of said Committee ten days previous to said meeting.

BY-LAWS OF THE ADVISORY BOARD.

ARTICLE I.

SECTION 1. The Advisory Board shall meet on the Thursday preceding the second Monday in January in each year, and on the Thursday preceding the second Monday in the months of April, July, and October, and at such other times as meetings may be called by the Chairman or by two members of the Board, of which three days' notice shall be given in writing.

SEC. 2. At all meetings of the Board five members shall constitute a quorum.

SEC. 3. The order of business at all meetings shall be:

1. Calling the roll.
2. Prayer.
3. Reading the minutes of the preceding meeting.
4. Election, if any.
5. Unfinished business.
6. Miscellaneous business.

ARTICLE II.

SEC. 1. The officers of the Board shall be a Chairman and a Secretary, who shall be members of the Board and shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting, and shall hold office until the election of their successors.

SEC. 2. Their duties shall be such as usually pertain to these offices. In the absence of the Chairman, a Chairman *pro tem.* shall be appointed by the Board.

ARTICLE III.

These By-Laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present at an annual meeting.

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It is proposed to form a society—The Free Dispensing Association—to select and aid such cases. To this end a central depot is necessary, and eventually an oxygen hospital on the lines of that of the Baroness Burdett-Coutts in London would be established.

We, the undersigned, cordially recommend such an association to the favorable consideration of the Young Women's Christian Association of New York City, and to the public generally; not only in its philanthropic and charitable aspects, but also in the interest of the health of the great community of which we form a part.

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To the Members of the Young Women's Christian Association of New York City:

As a means to the highly desirable end indicated in the above communication, it is suggested that philanthropists discuss the plan of such an association and hospital with their friends and acquaintances, with a view to its realization in the near future.

In point of fact such a work has been carried on among the poor of the city for many years at my own expense, and the signers of this statement feel that one individual should no longer be called upon to bear the burden, as the extent and amount of the relief are utterly beyond the means and strength of any single person.

All who are interested are cordially invited to communicate with me.

Very respectfully,

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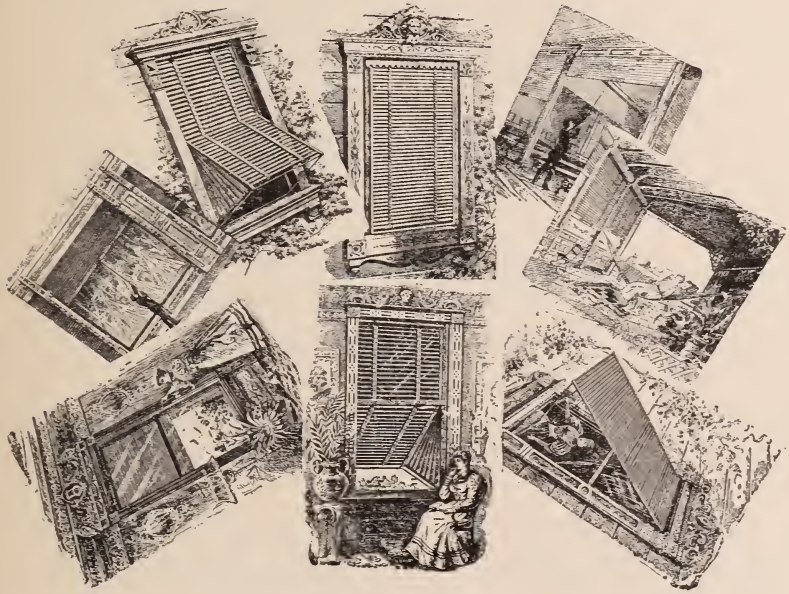

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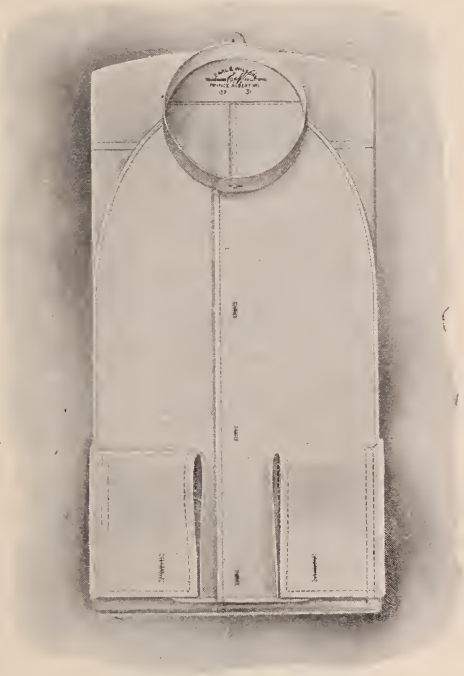

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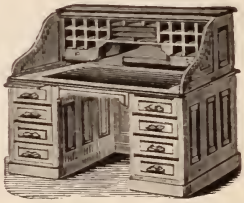

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